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SUNDAY NEWS.

THE VIRGINIUS AFFAIR.

NO SALUTE REQUIRED BECAUSE THE VIRGINIUS WAS NOT ENTITLED TO AMERICAN PROTECTION.

RUMORED TROUBLE BETWEEN SPAIN AND ENGLAND.

WASHINGTON, December 21.—It has been known for sometime that the Spanish government has submitted evidence with regard to the steamer Virginius and her claim to the flag of the United States, and that the President had submitted this evidence to the Attorney General for his opinion thereon. It seems now to be understood in official circles that the Attorney General has given the opinion that the vessel had forfeited the right to bear the flag of the United States, and that at the time of her capture, she was carrying it without right and improperly.

LATER.—As the Viginius affair is now understood no salute to the flag will be required from Spain on Christmas day. Our only satisfaction will be a formal disavowal from Spain of any intention to interfere with our national rights.

The United States will proceed against the Virginius and all connected with her, for violation of the neutrality laws. It is claimed by Spain that the papers upon which the Virginius cleared were obtained by perjury.

NEW YORK, December 21.—A special dispatch dated Key West, December 20th, says: Information reached here from Havana yesterday which, if authenticated, is highly important. It was rumored there that serious complications in regard to Cuba have arisen, it is understood, between the Spanish and British governments, but precisely as to what the difficulties are does not yet appear, but it is certain the British West India squadron is to be speedily and largely increased.

The Havana authorities state that the English "government intends some interference in Cuban affairs, and in such a manner as to complicate the relations of that government with Spain. Admiral Scott looks for the arrival of our European squadron in a few days, when Admiral Case, unless relieved, will assume command.

The Virginius passed here yesterday to the north, in charge of the Ossippee, in a leaky condition.

LATER.

Since the last dispatch was sent, it has become known here that the British Consul General at Havana has received dispatches from Lord Granville to instruct all naval commanders in the West Indies to immediately rendezvous in Cuban ports. It is stated that in official circles it is certainly known that the British Government will assuredly demand the punishment of Burriel The British admiral has left for St. Thomas where he expects to be relieved.

KEY WEST, December 21.—The Colorado, Powhatan and Manhattan arrived here this morning.

WASHINGTON, December 21.—The State Department has no information of the British and Spanish complications.

MARINE.

NORFOLK, December 21.—The brig Mary Rice, from Rio, bound for Baltic, went ashore on Cape Henry.

CHARLESTON, December 21.—Arrived—Georgious. Kate Harding, R. M. Smith, Adair, Barney, H. F. McCauley, D Ames, tug Oscar. Sailed—Jas. Adger, Falcon.

NEW YORK, December 21.—Arrived—Sherman, Metropolis.

MENAGERIE ON FIRE.

PHILADELPHIA, December 21.—Late this evening a fire occurred at the winter headquarters of Forepaugh's Menagerie at Germantown, destroying the frame stable, together with seven valuable horses and all the wagons belonging to the show. The cages containing the wild beasts were all saved.

MONDAY'S NOON NEWS.

THE WORKINGMEN.

SERIOUS TROUBLE IN CINCINNATI AND CHICAGO—DIVISION OF WEALTH DEMANDED—COMMUNIST TALK.

CINCINNATI, December 22.—Two meetings of laborers have been held. The German meeting denounced the President as in league with the capitalists. Carl Ross, the Austrian agitator, said the condition of the workingmen was worse here than in Germany. The Irish meeting contented itself with a denunciation of the city government. Both meetings were slimly attended.

NEW YORK, December 22.—A Cincinnati special says the attitude of the working men there causes a feeling of insecurity and apprehension.

Henry Genit, convicted of fraud in connection with a ring, has been in the custody of the Deputy Sheriff since last Friday when, Genet obtained leave to go up stairs to see his wife. The Sheriff slept and Genet is non est.

CHICAGO, December 22.—The laborers' meeting last night was very disorderly. The sentiments that the day is approaching for an equitable division of wealth was loudly applauded. The unemployed will march to the court-house to-night. Grave consequences are apprehended.

At a meeting of workmen, addresses were made in the English, German and Polish languages. They urged employment by the city, when other sources of work failed, otherwise the city should supply necessities

COPENHAGEN, December 21.—The gas men are on a strike. The city is dark.

A FESTIVE FUNERAL PARTY.

ST. LOUIS, December 22.—President Grant, with the persons who attended the funeral of Col. Dent, from Washington, enjoyed a grand dinner, given by Gen. Harney, after which the gay party left for Washington.

WASHINGTON.

PARDONED KU-KLUX—THE VIRGINIUS UNDER FALSE COLORS.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—Wm. Ramsey, Marion Fowler, and John Whitlock, convicted a year ago of being Ku-Klux, have been pardoned.

Judge Williams' opinion covers a column. [illegible] that the papers of the Virginius [illegible] obtained under false pretences, and that [illegible] the vessel was in aliens.

OUR DISASTER BUREAU.

[illegible], DEATHS, DISEASE, SHIPWRECKS, FIRES, RIOTS, &c.

NEW YORK, December 22.—The Baptist [illegible] corner of Nassau and Liberty streets, [illegible] has been burned. Loss $50,000.

[illegible] December 22.—The ship America [illegible] of New Foundland. The Captain [illegible] of the crew were lost. The balance [illegible] six days out in boats, were [illegible] the Louise Wychards, from Wil[illegible].

[illegible] December 22.—George W. Barin, [illegible] aged 79.

LONDON, December 22.—A ferry boat on the Thames capsized and thirty-three persons were drowned.

MATAMORAS, December 22.—A prominent merchant of Rio Grande City, Texas, was murdered by Mexican bandits.

MADRID, December 22.—Eighteen persons were killed by the Cartagena magazine explosions.

NEAR CARTAGENA, December 22.—The besiegers have been reinforced by 1,500, and an additional force of 4,000 is expected in a few days, when the assault will occur.

BERLIN, December 22.—Wilhelm has a slight attack of apoplexy. Much uneasiness is felt regarding his condition.

CHICAGO, December 22.—Madame Jallever, Lady Superior of the order of Sacred Heart of the West, is dead.

MATAMORAS, December 22.—There was a general fight over the mayor's election. One hundred shots were fired. Six were wounded. The Federal troops took the Plaza and hold it.

Financial and Commercial

Telegraph Market Reports.

NEW YORK, December 22.—Cotton dull and nominal; sales 990 bales; uplands 15 7-8; Orleans 16 1-4.

Futures opened as follows: For January 15 9-16a15 1-4; February 15 11-16a15 3-4; March 16 1-8a16 3-16; April 16 17-32a16 5-8; May 17.

Flour dull. Wheat quiet and firm. Corn held at 1a2c higher. Pork quiet; mess $16. Lard weak; steam 8 1 2. Turpentine heavy at 42. Rosin weak at $2 50a2 55 for strained. Freights steady.

Gold opened at 10 3 4. Stock dull. Money; 7 bid. Gold closed at 10 1-4. Exchange; long 8 5 8; short 9 1-2. Governments dull and lower. State bonds quiet.

Arrived—Charleston. Arrived out—City of Brussels, Westphalia.

LONDON, December 22.—Consols 91 7 8 fives 91 1-3.

LIVERPOOL, December 22.—Cotton dull and easier; uplands 8 1-8a8 1-4; Orleans 8¼; sales 10,000 bales; speculation and exportation 2,000; uplands, not below good ordinary, delivered in December, 8 1-16; ditto, shipped November, January and February, 8 1-8; ditto, deliverable in February, 8 1-8.

Sales of cotton include 8,000 bales American.

Corn 36s 6da36s 9d. Beef 82s. Pork 62s. Tallow 38s 3d.

Market Reports of the Chamber of Commerce.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, ATLANTA, December 22, 1873.

Cotton 13¼a13 3-4 cents.
Corn—85.
Wheat—white $1 75a1 90; amber $1 65a1 80; red $1 60a1 70.
Oats—mixed 65c; seed 75c.
Rye—seed $1 25a1 35.
Barley seed, none in market.
Corn Meal—85.
Grits—$6 25 per barrel.
Flour—Super $5 50a7; extra $7 00a8 00; family $8 50a9; extra family $9 50a10; fancy $11a11 50.
Hay—Timothy $1 50a1 75. Clover $1 25a1 50.
Coal—car, 32a35
Lime—40a50c.
Cement—$3 25a3 50.
Bacon—clear sides 9; clear rib sides 9¼; shoulders 7 1-2. Sugar cured hams 12½a13.
Bulk—Dry salt clear sides 9; clear rib sides 8¾. Green meats—clear sides 8½a8¾; clear rib sides 8a8¼; long clear none in market.
Lard—steam tierces 10 1-2; kegs 11; cans 11; buckets 11a11½.
Sheeting, etc—4 4 brown sheeting 11; 7-8 brown shirting 9¼; 3 4 brown shirting 7½.
Cotton yarn $1 40.
Coffee—Rio 28a30; La Guyra 28a30; Java 40a45; Mocha 37 1-2a40.
Sugar—A 12; extra C 11 1-2; Demerara 12a12 1-2.
Iron Ties—9 1-2c. per lb.
Bagging—2 lbs. 14 1-2; 2 1-8 lbs. 15; 2 1-4 lbs. 15 1-2. Gunny 12 1-2.
Candles—19 1-2a20 per lb.
Cheese—16a18c. per lb
Hogs—Dressed 7c, gross 5 1-2a5 3 4.
Beef Cattle—3a3 3-4.

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GEORGIA REAL ESTATE AND Immigration Company.

AN act of the Legislature of Georgia having authorized the formation of a Company "To facilitate the Sale of Real Estate in Georgia, and to encourage immigration thereto," the undersigned propose to carry out the purposes of the grant by presenting to the public prizes in the form of real estate, both in town or country, to be drawn for on the second Wednesday in January, 1874.

Parties desirous of selling real estate are invited address the Company, describing the property and the price they are willing to take therefor.

The following extract from the law will explain the plan and purpose of the Company:

"Any person desirous to sell or dispose of his, her or their real estate through the said Land Agency by Lottery, or otherwise, shall before doing so fully describe the same as to the number of acres, and if a city lot the number of feet, its boundaries, character of the improvements, and county in which located, so it can be fully identified; shall then place a fair valuation thereon, which valuation shall be certified to by two disinterested citizens of the county or neighborhood in which the land is located, and when these prerequisites are complied with and the proper offered for sale or lottery by the said Land Agency. The party or parties having the control of said land and improvements shall bind themselves in a good and sufficient bond to said Land Agents, or their successors, to make a valid title thereto to whoever may be the drawer or purchaser thereof; but no obligation to make the titles given to said parties shall be of any force or effect for a longer period than six months unless the valuation affixed to the property shall be tendered within the said term of six months from the date of said bond, whenever the said Land Agents or their successors shall tender to the owner or controller thereof, in currency, the valuation agreed upon for said property." See Georgia laws, 1866, page 70, for full act.

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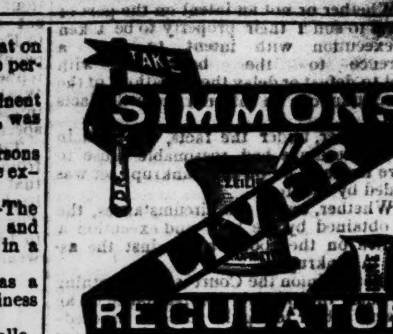

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MARSHAL'S SALES FOR JANUARY, 1874.

WILL be sold before the City Hall, in the city of Atlanta, on Tuesday the 6th day of January, 1874, the following city lots for city tax for the year 1873, to wit:

City lot in ward 1, land lot 85, containing 50-100 feet, more or less, on Peters and Wilkins streets, adjoining Wiggins, and Cox, and Hill; Mayor and Council vs Atkins Children.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 53, containing 50-73 feet, more or less, on Clara street, adjoining Stance and Jarvis; Mayor and Council vs D A Boyd.

City lot in ward 2, land lot 85, containing 50-224 feet, more or less, on Whitehall, and Hood and Orange streets, adjoining Alexander; Mayor and Council vs J B Boyd.

City lot in ward 6, land lot 83, containing ¼ acre, more or less, on France street, adjoining Kent, and Gullian; Mayor and Council vs Mrs M E Baldwin.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 451, containing 150-280 feet, more or less, on Young, Foster and Chamberlin streets, adjoining Goldsmith: Mayor and Council vs Malcom & Bell.

City lot in ward 6, land lot 77, containing ¼ acre, more or less, on Pryor street, adjoining Killian and Hammond; Mayor and Council vs A W Crawford.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 46, containing ¼ acre, more or less, on Irwin and Howland streets, adjoining Maxwell; Mayor and Council vs T G Campbell, Sr, colored.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 73, containing 30-100 feet, more or less, on Forsyth street, adjoining Callaway and alley; Mayor and Council vs F M Coker.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 79, containing 2½ acres, more or less, on Pine, Ivy and Peachtree streets, adjoining Luckie; Mayor and Council vs J B Campbell.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 51, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Houston street, adjoining Shaw and Loman; Mayor and Council vs Estate of J M Coleman.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 79, containing 3 acres, more or less, on Plum street, adjoining Harris and Harris; Mayor and Council vs W D Cook.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 53, containing ¼ acre, more or less, on McDonough and Clark streets, adjoining Kennedy and Thrower; Mayor and Council vs M J Clarke.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 93, containing 75-122 feet, more or less, on Broad and Marietta streets, adjoining Grant and Pattillo; Mayor and Council vs Dr W L Cleveland.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 46, containing 53 180 feet, more or less, on Wheat and Jackson streets, adjoining Bell and Goldsmith; Mayor and Council vs Dr W R Coe.

City lot in ward 2, land lot 77, containing 3-16 acre, more or less, on Loyd street, adjoining Callahan and Kutzshon; Mayor and Council vs M Corrigan.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 51, containing ¼ acre, more or less, on Baker street, adjoining Sheperd; Mayor and Council vs James Davis, colored.

City lot in ward 1, land lot 77, containing 60 165 feet, more or less, on Whitehall street, adjoining Rawson and Brotherton; Mayor and Council vs S A Durand, Trustee.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 53, containing ¼ acre, more or less, on Martin and Richardson streets, adjoining Doakes and Anthoney; Mayor and Council vs Jacob Epps, colored.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 51, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Cain street, adjoining Patterson and Pratt; Mayor and Council vs J F Edwards.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 52, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Wheat street, adjoining Georgia Railroad and Banking Company; Mayor and Council vs estate of C H Elyea.

City lot in ward 2, land lot 77, containing 20-140 feet, more or less, on Whitehall street, adjoining Jones and Pendleton; Mayor and Council vs John M Fain.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 73, containing 25-190 feet, more or less, on Marietta and Broad streets, adjoining Bateman; Mayor and Council vs Mrs French and Mrs Tarver.

City lot in ward 1, land lot 77, containing 1 acre, more or less, on Peters street, adjoining Sanders and Day; Mayor and Council vs Mrs Lavinia Ford.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 50, containing 45-100 feet, more or less, on Alley, adjoining Wallace; Mayor and Council vs Robert Giles, colored.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 53, containing ¼ acre, more or less, on Terry street, adjoining Martin and Bettie; Mayor and Council vs Thomas Hyde

City lot in ward 5, land lot 79, containing 52-123 feet, more or less, on Powers street, adjoining Thomas and Edmondson; Mayor and Council vs W P Hammond.

City lot in ward 6, land lot 83, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Davis and Magazine streets, adjoining Johnson; Mayor and Council vs S D Harris.

City lot in ward 1, land lot 85, containing 3-16 acre, more or less, on Peters street, adjoining Hitchen and Smith; Mayor and Council vs E D Halt.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 78, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Marietta and Walton streets, adjoining Cutsolm and Fuller; Mayor and Council vs C C Hill.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 50, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Calhoun street adjoining McDannie and Mariam; Mayor and Council vs Harris & Wardsworth.

City lot in ward 1, land lot 84, containing 33 by 70 feet more or less on Fair street adjoining Massalie and Haynes; Mayor and Council vs. Henry Harrison.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 79, containing 10 acres more or less, on Plum and Dairy and North Avenue streets adjoining Scofield & Co and Ackerman and Green; Mayor and Council vs Mrs J E Harris.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 52, containing one-fifth of an acre more or less, on Hunter and Hayne streets adjoining Carbine and Grant; Mayor and Council vs William Hayne.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 53, containing one-eighth acre more or less, on Connelley street adjoining Gallagher and Johnson; Mayor and Council vs Miss Matt Hartman.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 51, containing 50-150 feet, more or less, on Harris and Calhoun streets, adjoining Mariam and Fechter; Mayor and Council vs J P Harris.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 78, containing 1-3 acre, more or less, on Spring and Luckie streets, adjoining Trussell and Miller; Mayor and Council vs Mrs M A Heath.

City lot in Ward 1, land lot 77, containing 1 8 acre, more or less, on Castleberry street, adjoining S well and Dickson; Mayor and Council vs J P Holbrook.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 53, containing 1-8 acre more or less, on Richardson street, adjoining Jennings and Lowndes; Mayor and Council vs York Hardaway, colored.

City lot in ward 6, land lot 83, containing 1-4 acre, more or less, on Haynes street, adjoining Hancock and Boston; Mayor and Council vs John F Hillings, Agent.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 78, containing 1-2 acre, more or less, on Wheat street, adjoining Parott and Hill; Mayor and Council vs Mrs Lucinda Hill.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 67, containing ¼ acre, more or less, on Ellis street, adjoining Rich and Hitchcock; Mayor and Council vs Stephen Haywood, colored.

City lot in Ward 1, land lot 84, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Markham and Davis streets, adjoining Hayden and Hayden; Mayor and Council vs Amost Harris, colored.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 78, containing 3-16 acre, more or less, on Baker street, adjoining Fincher Halcout and Hall; Mayor and Council vs Mrs Mary J. Harris.

City lot in ward 2, land lot 85, containing 1 acre, more or less, on ——— street, adjoining Cox and and Johnson; Mayor and Council vs Rush Irwin.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 78, containing 50 feet, more or less, on Marietta to Walton streets adjoining Ashford and Little; Mayor and Council vs H P Ivy.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 52, containing ¼ acre, more or less, on Decatur street, adjoining Faith and Morris and Glenn; Mayor and Council vs estate of William Ivy.

City lot in ward 1, land lot 84, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Mitchell and Davis streets, adjoining Miller and Ogletree; Mayor and Council vs J S Jenkins.

City lot in ward 6, land lot 77, containing 42-85 feet, more or less, on Whitehall street, adjoining Jones and Jones; Mayor and Council vs E C Jones.

City lot in ward 6, land lot 77, containing 21-85 feet, more or less, on Whitehall street, adjoining Jones and Jones; Mayor and Council vs P W Jones.

City lot in ward 1, land lot 84, containing 23-69 feet, more or less, on Wilkins street, adjoining Smith and Alexander; Mayor and Council vs Joe M Johnson.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 53, containing 8 acres, more or less, on Hill and Glenn streets, adjoining Turner, Archer and Grant; Mayor and Council vs Estate of R Johnson.

City lot in ward 2, land lot 77, containing 55-85 feet, more or less, on Whitehall and Hunter streets, adjoining Thurman; Mayor and Council vs John Jones.

City lot in ward 6, land lot 83, containing 22 acres, more or less, on Simpson street, adjoining Davis, Fowler and Jett; Mayor and Council vs J B Jett.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 53, containing 3-8 more or less, on King street, adjoining Phillips and Peters; Mayor and Council vs estate of Joel Kelsey.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 79, containing 1 acre, more or less, on Alexander, Mills, Powers and McAffee streets, adjoining ———; Mayor and Council vs J Knowles, trustee.

City lot in ward 6, land lot 82, containing 1 acre, more or less, on Strong and Kennedy streets, adjoining McBurney; Mayor and Council vs J R King.

City lot in ward 1, land lot 85, containing 1-3 acre, more or less, on Whitehall street, adjoining Turner and Turner. Mayor and Council vs Mrs A C Ladd.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 52, containing 7-8 acre, more or less, on Wheat street, adjoining Elyea and Pittman. Mayor and Council vs Mrs D B Ladd.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 78, containing 1-2 acre, more or less, on Foster and Calhoun streets, adjoining Burkhardt. Mayor and Council vs B F Langley

City lot in ward 4, land lot 52, containing 1 acre, more or less, on Gilmore and Butler streets, adjoining Lother and Mecaslin. Mayor and Council vs Longley & Robinson.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 19, containing 2-8 acre, more or less, on Foster and Elyea streets, adjoining Marriam; Mayor and Council vs John Land, agent for wife.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 51, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Peachtree street, adjoining Blakely and Fowler; Mayor and Council vs Mrs Sophia Lynch.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 51, containing 6 acres, more or less, on Cain, Fort, Butler and Harris streets, adjoining ———; Mayor and Council vs T B and B W Marshal.

City lot in ward 1, land lot 77, containing 22-112 feet, more or less, on Mitchell street, adjoining McKnight & Summerour; Mayor and Council vs M E Maher.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 78, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Marietta, Spring and Walton streets, adjoining Butler; Mayor and Council vs Dr W C Moore.

City lot in ward 2, land lot 76, containing ½ acre, more or less, on McDonough street, adjoining Solomon and Barnes; Mayor and Council vs Thomas Moore, guardian.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 22, containing ¼ acre more or less, on Clark street, adjoining Bryan and Jones; Mayor and Council vs Lewis McCrary colored.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 53, containing 1-3 acre, more or less, on Frazier street, adjoining Gleason and Durham; Mayor and Council vs Daniel Murphey, trustee.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 78, containing 3-16 acre, more or less, on Butler street, adjoining Holland and Harvie; Mayor and Council vs Mrs Mary C. McFall.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 48, containing 1 acre, more or less, on Decatur and Lamb streets, adjoining Bras, Cole and Pearce; Mayor and Council vs Mrs. D. A. McPhail.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 53, containing ¼ acre, more or less, [illegible]; Mayor and Council vs A H McPherson.

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City lot in ward 6 land lot 83, containing ¼ acre, more or less, on Simpson street, adjoining Edelstein and Bank; Mayor and Council vs John W Neely.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 50, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Calhoun street, adjoining Lecroix; Mayor and Council vs Sam Neal, colored.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 52, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Decatur street, adjoining Chandler and Ezzard; Mayor and Council vs John Nelson's estate.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 52, containing 1-8 acre, more or less, on Wheat and Butler streets, adjoining Daniels and Church; Mayor and Council vs Thomas Newman.

City lot in ward 2, land lot 77, containing 45-90 feet, more or less, on Pryor street, adjoining Harris and Wallace; Mayor and Council vs Willis and Neal.

City lot in ward 2, land lot 85, containing 2 acres, more or less, on Wells and Glenn streets, adjoining Crumley and Adair, and Brewery; Mayor and Council vs James H Nelson.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 78, containing 20-90 feet, more or less, on Walton street, adjoining Powers and Wallace; Mayor and Council vs J F Nuting.

City lot in ward 2, land lot 77, containing 49-87 feet, more or less, on Alabama street, adjoining Heely, Berry and Hayden; Mayor and Council vs J D Pope

City lot in ward 5, land lot 78, containing 50-200 feet, more or less, on Marietta street, adjoining Bell and Heely; Mayor and Council vs P M Parks, agent.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 78, containing 33-150 feet, more or less, on Peachtree street, adjoining Fain and Chisolm; Mayor and Council vs W R Phillips.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 51, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Cain street, adjoining Edwards and Walker; Mayor and Council vs estate of B A Pratt.

City lot in ward 2, land lot 53, containing 2½ acres, more or less, on Clark and Pettis streets, adjoining Klossengale and Reed; Mayor and Council vs H Pettis.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 51, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Cane street, adjoining Edwards and Walker; Mayor and Council vs Est Pratt.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 78, containing 50 287 feet, more or less, on Peachtree street, adjoining James and Leyden; Mayor and Council vs estate of J H Purtell.

City lot in ward 6, land lot 18, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Machanic street, adjoining Weaver and Morgan; Mayor and Council vs William Pettis, Trustee.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 47, containing 3-4 acre, more or less, on Harris street, adjoining Merchant and Jones; Mayor and Council vs W H Paakins.

City lot in ward 1, land lot 84, containing 25-75 feet more or less on Mitchell s street, adjoining Bridwell and Bridwell; Mayor and Council vs M. Prysock.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 45, containing ¼ acre, more or less, on Packard street, adjoining Ricks and Carter; Mayor and Council vs Nathan Pryor, colored.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 52, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Calhoun and Jenkins streets, adjoining Botsford and Smith; Mayor and Council vs. Wm. Rosche.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 46, containing 3-16 acre, more or less, on Hilliard street, adjoining Werrenwag and Cunningham; Mayor and Council vs Wm Richardson, colored.

City lot in ward 2, land lot 85, containing ¼ acre, more or less, on Humphries street, adjoining Barkie and Church; Mayor and Council vs Hartwell Roberts, colored.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 77, containing 5f x100 feet, more or less, on Decatur street, adjoining Voce, McDaniel and Ailes; Mayor and Council vs. W W Rhodes.

City lot in ward 1, land lot 84, containing 30-100 feet, more or less, on Markham street, adjoining Martin and R ss; Mayor and Council vs Scott Robinson, colored.

City lot in ward 2, land lot 76, containing 1-4 acre, more or less, on Clark and Pulliam streets, adjoining Rawson; Mayor and Council vs F M Richardson.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 53, containing 1-30 acre, more or less, on Georgia Railroad street, adjoining McCullough; Mayor and Council vs. Robert Rice.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 45, containing 1-8 acre, more or less, on Fort street, adjoining Smith and Tanner; Mayor and Council vs W B Roberts.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 53, containing ¼ acre, more or less, on Grant and Georgia Railroad streets, adjoining Bird; Mayor and Council vs James Smith.

City lot in ward 1, land lot 84, containing 3-8 acre, more or less, on Chapell and Stonewall streets, adjoining Smith and Flynn; Mayor and Council vs Dr W C Smith.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 51, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Houston street, adjoining Coleman and Williams; Mayor and Council vs J L Logan

City lot in ward 4, land lot 52, containing 1-2 acre, more or less, on Gilmer and Butler streets, adjoining Percell and Hoyt; Mayor and Council vs. Lud Sparks for wife.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 79, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Luckie street, adjoining Johnson and Miller; Mayor and Council vs Alfred Stewart.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 46, containing ½ acre, more or less on Wheat to old Wheat streets, adjoining Coe; Mayor and Council vs J D Stocker.

City lot in ward 6, land lot 83, containing 5-100 feet, more or less, on Newton street, adjoining Dean, and Dean; Mayor and Council vs James Smith

City lot in ward 7, land lot 50, containing 1½ acre, more or less, on Ivy and North Avenue streets, adjoining Johnson and Roper; Mayor and Council vs W S Thompson.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 52, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Gilmore and Collins sts, adjoining Crane and Barnes; Mayor and Council vs J J Toon.

City lot in ward 1, land lot 84, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Mangum street, adjoining Bell and Collier; Mayor and Council vs J G Thrower.

City lot in ward 1, land lot 77, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Forsyth street, adjoining Wallace and Pattillo and Arnold; Mayor and Council vs Wm Littlejohn.

City lot in ward 2, land lot 76, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Washington street, adjoining Knox and Pierce; Mayor and Council vs R a Varnadoe.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 51, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Houston street, adjoining Kimbro and Eddieman; Mayor and Council vs J C Vaugn.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 78, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Marietta and Fairlie streets, adjoining Kelly. Mayor and Council vs Dr. W F Westmoreland.

City lot in ward 6, land lot 78, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Magazine street, adjoining Morgan Mayor and Council vs W C White

City lot in ward 5, land lot 78, containing 50-80 feet, more or less, on Forsyth and Luckie street, adjoining Gordon. Mayor and Council vs Mrs T A Whitaker.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 79, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Alexander street, adjoining Harris and Perdue. Mayor and Council vs J H Warner.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 52, containing 50-120 feet, more or less, on McDonough street, adjoining Angier and Dell; Mayor and Council vs W J Ward.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 45, containing 3 4 acre, more or less, on Young and Alley streets, adjoining Pittman and Darden; Mayor and Council vs T M D Ward.

City lot in ward 5, land lot 78, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Foundry and Luckie streets, adjoining Finney and Burnes; Mayor and Council vs Walter S Withers.

City lot in ward 2, land lot 82, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Windsor street, adjoining Brown; Mayor and Council vs W B Wynn

City lot in ward 3, land lot 52, containing 1-2 acre, more or less, on Hunter, Fair and Hayne streets adjoining Mackie. Mayor and Council vs W F Wright.

City lot in ward 1, land lot 85, containing 30-106 feet, more or less, on Peters street, adjoining Meador and Defour. Mayor and Council vs G A Wynn.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 50, containing 1-4 acre, more or less, on Currier street, adjoining Wallace. Mayor and Council vs. Mrs Sarah Waller, colored.

City lot in ward 7, land lot 19, containing 3-8 acre, more or less, on Harris street, adjoining Ezzard and Bell. Mayor and Council vs. Smith Woodward, colored.

City lot in ward 6, land lot 76, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Mechanic and Magazine streets, adjoining Fuller and Pitts; Mayor and Council vs Jacob Weaver.

City lot in ward 3, land lot 53, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Richardson street, adjoining Patterson and James; Mayor and Council vs Ike Williams, colored.

City lot in ward 6, land lot 83, containing ½ acre, more or less, on Lowe street, adjoining Spencer; Mayor and Council vs W C Whitmore.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 46, containing 1-16 acre, more or less, on Rolling Mill street, adjoining Pittman and Lively; Mayor and Council vs Dennis Whiteley, colored.

City lot in ward 4, land lot 78, containing 1-5 acre, more or less, on Jenkins street, adjoining Berry and Medical College; Mayor and Council vs M M Wilson.

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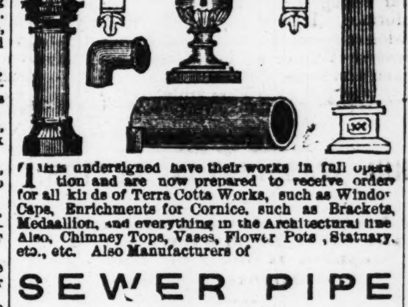

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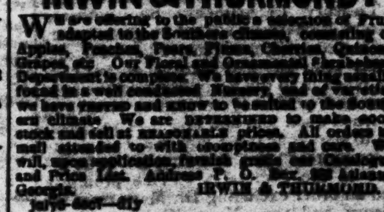

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M. VAN ESTES, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Gainesville, Ga. Will practice in the counties of the Western Circuit, Supreme Court of the state, and in the District Court of the United States at Atlanta. july18-d3m

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J. A. HUNT, Attorney at Law, Barnesville, Georgia, will practice in the counties comprising the Flint Circuit, in the Supreme Court of the State, and in the United States District Courts for the Northern and Southern Districts by special contract. apl17-ly

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ATLANTA:

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1873.

Brevities.

Seventy-nine theatres are said to have been burned in the United States since 1798.

The dancing season is in full feather. The Spanish waltz is to supercede the German.

New Orleans is bothered with a game called "bunco." It is said to be so bad that even the gamblers detest it.

The Duke of Edinburgh, a son of Queen Victoria, plays first fiddle in an amateur orchestra.

The Princess of Wales celebrated on the 1st instant her twenty-ninth birthday. She gave a dinner at Sandringham.

A Council Bluff man advertises "Grangers, I will sell you coffins cheaper than any other man in the city."

When a Chicago man "makes the round" of all the bar-rooms of that city he has an opportunity to take 4,100 drinks.

Piano fortes were invented in Dresden in 1717 Frederica, an organ builder of Saxony, made the first square piano in 1858.

Tweed is the second member of Congress sentenced to a penitentiary for crime, Charles Mitchell, of Lockport, New York, being the first.

General S B. Maxey, formerly of Kentucky, and a graduate of West Point, is talked of for the United States Senatorship from Texas, to succeed Flanagan.

A movement is on foot to establish a line of six steamers from New Orleans to Rio Janeiro, each to carry 2,500 tons of freight and make the passage in 21 days.

The Hickman (Ky.) Courier, speaking of the recent removal of the disabilities of General John C. Breckenridge, remarks: "Wouldn't he sweep the State for Governor?"

Two car loads of sheep from Shropshire, England, have arrived in Solano county, California. They left Shropshire forty seven days ago, and made the journey without perceptible injury to their health.

Caleb Cushing has accepted the invitation to deliver an address at the proposed National Convention of the survivors of the Mexican war, to be held on the 15th of January at Washington.

The eminent physicians, Sir James Paget and Sir William Gull, daily visit Baron Mayer de Rothschild, who is seriously ill at his country seat, and receive 100 guineas ($525) each for every visit.

Ex-Governor Throckmorton, of Texas has an excellent chance to become a Democratic Senator from the State. He is a native of Tennessee, having been born somewhere about Sparta.

The latest thing out in the way of paper-weights represents a heap of American coin fresh from the mint. It is very tantalizing, and the only objection to it is that it is not true to the life.

Connecticut continues the land of steady habits. Statistics lately collected show that fifteen out of every forty five deaths of adults that have occurred during the past five years were the result of steady drinking.

King Lunalilo of the Sandwich Islands has withdrawn his proposition for a reciprocity treaty with the United States. His Ministers resigned, but, at his urgent request, withdrew their resignations. The natives of the Sandwich Islands seem to believe that reciprocity means annexation.

The New Orleans Herald, December 12, says that eminent jurist, William M. Evarts, has been employed to argue the case of our State and people before the Committee of Privileges of the Senate. Mr. Evarts assumes this case with a full conviction of its justice and legality, as a great lawyer and eminent chief of the Republican party, we are gratified that it will be confided to him.

The ages of notable persons now spoken of in France are as follows: President MacMahon, 65; Comte de Chambord, 53; Prince Louis Napoleon, 18; Comte de Paris, 35; Duc de Chartres, 33; Duc de Nemours, 59; Prince de Joinville, 55; Duc d'Aumale, 51; Prince Jerome Napoleon, 51; M. Thiers, 76; M. Gambetta, 37.

Another subsidence took place in the village of Westville, Nova Scotia, which is built over the Acadia Coal Mines, recently. The damage to the buildings is not so extensive as in the former instance, although many houses are badly awry. Much apprehension exists among the inhabitants in consequence of the subsidence.

Lucid and comprehensive was the charge of the Kansas judge: "The evidence shows that he sot up with her night after night, and they squeezed hands and talked soft, and I think she ought to have about $23 damages." But the jury, in consideration of the low price of corn, reduced it to $1 75.

The annual report of the Librarian of Congress shows that during the year ending the 1st of December, 12,407 volumes were added to the collection, making the total number in the library 258,752 volumes, and about 50,000 pamphlets. There were 15,352 copyrights entered during the year, the fees from which amounted to $13,504.

The Albany Journal says that Gen. W. A. C. Ryan who met his death at the massacre in Cuba by the Spanish a short time since, was engaged to be married to Miss Gebhard, daughter of a prominent citizen of Schoharie county, and a very amiable and accomplished young lady. The nuptials were to have been celebrated on Thanksgiving day.

It appears that Delano, at the instance of the Northern Pacific Railroad, has resolved upon the removal of the Gros Ventres, Mandans, and Rickarees from Fort Berthold to the Indian Territory. The Indians are utterly opposed to leaving their ancestral hunting grounds, which they have defended for centuries, but hemmed in by the Sioux, they are without the power to resist the dictates of the Indian Department, backed by the military.

Alexander Morton, of Louisiana, who represented his State in the United States Senate from 1837 to 1848, has written a letter requesting that his mileage for two Congresses, be sent to him. The money is being looked up in the Treasury Department. This circumstance strikingly illustrates the fallacy of the doctrine put forth by so many of the salary grabbers last summer, that it was not necessary, in order to wash their hands of the stolen money, to cover it into the Treasury.

Another late French encroachment, says the Boston Gazette, is in the shape of a feminine overcoat, having a basque back, with collar of velvet or silk, and being made of warm diagonal cloth, sloping away in true manly fashion over the hips, disclosing a legitimate waistcoat, with good-sized pockets inserted for change, boot and glove hook, and "sundries." This is made of black *drap d'ete*, cashmere or velvet, and can be worn with any style of waist, coat or polonaise.

The London Times estimates that 74,000,000 bushels of wheat will be required to supply the European market until the crop of 1874 is harvested, and agents from Liverpool, London, Glasgow, and other cities, are now in Chicago and Milwaukee, purchasing wheat. At present prices, if the whole amount should be purchased here and there is none to buy elsewhere, it would result in bringing about one hundred million dollars.

New Orleans Times: The cotton planters in portions of Texas are entering into a written obligation to reduce the amount of land devoted to next year's cotton crop by at least one-third, in order to secure better prices for the cotton raised, and a better supply of provisions. Throughout the interior of Louisiana and other States provisions are now scarce and high, and cotton is too low to pay the cost of production. Such a condition of things cannot and should not be maintained. The Patrons of Husbandry must see to it that an intelligent discrimination is exercised in the choice and extent of crops.

An intelligent correspondent of the St. Louis Democrat says that he went into the Cherokee Nation six months ago with his mind filled with stories about horrible outrages committed there, but has traveled over a large part of the Nation's territory without encountering any of the bloodthirsty individuals whom writers in the interest of railroads describe as without number. He has been treated with kindness by all classes, and believes that the Cherokees have been greatly misrepresented. As proof of their progress he cites several laws lately enacted by the National Council, including one for the revision of the code, appropriating $56,000 for public schools, $40,000 for the orphan and insane Asylum, $75,000 for male and female seminaries, prohibiting the carrying of fire arms, and appropriating $6,000 to build a jail. For education and morals the Cherokees compare favorably with the people of the Western States.

The Dist[illegible] forward your sub[illegible]

The Thomaston Herald comes out strongly against the Convention. We have mislaid the paper, but hope to find it.

The S[illegible]y Address.

The splendid [illegible] of Hon. A. H. Stephens will appear to-morrow—received too late for this issue.

Supreme Court Decisions

Will be ready to-morrow—send orders—$1 per copy. Table of cases and *Index* also.

Our General Traveling Agents.

Colonel Acton is down in Southern Georgia. Mr. Anderson along the Georgia Road. But we advise to send subscriptions by letter from these sections as our agents can see but few comparatively.

Southwest Georgia.

Our friends in Southwest Georgia will please hold themselves in readiness to secure a card in the Distribution to come off on the 31st *positively*. Colonel Acton will be among you simultaneously with this issue of The Constitution. We hope all will respond.

Against a Convention.

The people and press are beginning to arouse.

The Savannah Advertiser and Columbus Times take strong ground against a Convention at this time. Their articles appear to-morrow.

The Georgia Convention.

"One of the propositions which are to be submitted to the Georgia Constitutional Convention is a revival of imprisonment for debt. Progress takes backward jumps down there."—*New York Sun.*

The above is outside contemporary comment on one of the main objects sought by the advocates of a convention in Georgia.

The wild changes of public policy and law that have been suggested as an inducement to the people to call a convention are enough to alarm any sane man. No wilder or more utterly indefensible and uncivilized project is contemplated for the convention to do than to restore that barbarous relic of the old law—imprisonment for debt.

But Georgia will commit no such folly, nor that of a convention at this time.

Port Royal.

The arrival at this famous harbor of the first of a line of steamers from Liverpool, affords an opportunity for our importers and wholesale merchants which should not be allowed to pass unimproved.

The line differs from other attempts at the direct trade with England so much desired in the South, in a few points not clearly understood among our merchants.

In the first place, the steamers do not depend altogether on their freights via Port Royal. They run to New Orleans, and touch at Port Royal to land and receive freights and for coal. Four thousand tons of coal passed through Atlanta within the last few weeks for their use. Thus their freights are lower than could possibly be afforded if they ran only to and from a new place which has its business to make.

Next, there are no charges for wharfage or drayage at Port Royal. The steamers load directly into the cars, after making the usual entry at the Custom House. Freight thus delivered may be received by through freight cars in Atlanta in twenty-four hours, via the Port Royal and Georgia Railroads. What these charges may amount to is illustrated in the case of a large ship load of cotton ties which was imported for Augusta and Savannah. The ship drew too much water to go to Savannah until she had been lightened by the delivering of a part of her cargo at Port Royal.

But she came along side the railroad wharf at Port Royal, at nearly low tide, and discharged the portion of her cargo intended for Augusta directly into the cars, and then proceeded to Savannah. It has been stated, and not contradicted to our knowledge, that the Augusta portion of her cargo cost no more after paying freight over one hundred miles of railroad, than did the Savannah portion delivered at her wharves, after paying all local charges.

It is difficult to direct the current of trade into new channels. Our merchants in the interior, long accustomed to import through New York, Charleston or Savannah merchants, are shy of setting up as importers themselves, although it is evident that to do so successfully will be to put into their own pockets the profits now paid to the importers at our seaports.

Again, all other Southern seaports are limited in the size and draught of vessels frequenting them by the depth of water which may be brought to them. However, there is no such limit at Port Royal. It is the only first-class Atlantic port South of Cape Hatteras, into which any vessel yet built may enter. But freights and insurance rates are less on large vessels, rating A 1, than on smaller ones, thus offering another saving.

Port Royal has to fight its way into notice and importance in spite of the opposition of the well known cities of Charleston and Savannah, lying on either side of it. The local interests of those cities, opposed and rivals in all else, are interested in keeping down and throwing discredit upon the commercial value of any intermediate port, however great may be its natural advantages.

The city of Savannah might, with great advantage to her merchants, use Port Royal for ships of too great draught to come to her wharves, precisely as Leith is the seaport of Edinburgh. The entrance to Port Royal is but eleven miles from the entrance to Tybee Roads, and the pilots and steam tugs of one place could also be those of the other. Why not?

But the main point for the interior cities of the South and Southwest to consider is, how can their grain and cotton be got to a market in the least time and for the least money, and how can they obtain in return those articles of foreign production which they need for consumption at the least expense and in the shortest time.

May not this problem find its solution at Port Royal, and is it not worth while for the merchants of St. Louis, Memphis, Nashville, Atlanta, and other cities lying near the great routes of interior railroad communication with the Southern seaports to look into the matter?

Hon. Nelson Tift on the Convention.

The Augusta Chronicle has been publishing letters on the Convention from certain gentlemen in Georgia. Wherever the writer favors the Convention we have found the letter editorially heralded by our contemporary with an immense flourish of trumpets, and gushing encomiums upon the marvelous ability and patriotism of the writer.

In last Saturday's edition of the Chronicle we found the following brief but very practical letter from the Hon. Nelson Tift, opposing a convention. The letter was modestly sandwitched off in an obscure corner of the paper. After a zealous search in the editorial columns we failed to find any of the customary laudation of the writer's tremendous ability and overflowing patriotism.

In order to atone for the omission of our contemporary, doubtless entirely unintentional, we reproduce the letter with editorial notice of the writer, and with the strong belief that Colonel Tift merits encomium about as much as some of the other gentlemen so fulsomely praised for uttering opinions not half so dateful, well considered and applicable as Colonel Tift's.

This seems to indicate, as also the tone of the press, that Southwestern Georgia is against a Convention now.

A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION—LETTER FROM HON. NELSON TIFT.

ALBANY, GA., December 13, 1873.

To the Editors of the Chronicle and Sentinel:

I received your letter requesting my views relative to the important question now presented to the people of Georgia for consideration, "Shall the Legislature call a Convention for the purpose of amending the instrument known as the Constitution of 1868?" After a careful examination of the subject, my opinion is that a Convention should not be called. The most objectionable part of the Constitution—section 17, article 5, known as the relief section—has been obsolete or void by time and the decisions of the courts. There are other parts of the Constitution which, in my opinion, might be improved by amendment, but there is no other part which could now be changed without divisions and serious opposition among all classes of our people, including the best citizens; and, judging from the history of conventions, there is room to doubt whether amendments of a new Constitution, favored by any convention which could now be elected, would not contain as many causes of dissatisfaction as the present one. The Constitution under which the State was governed from 1798 down to the time of the late war provided for amendments by a two-thirds vote of two successive Legislatures. Under this provision the Constitution was several times amended and adapted to the wants of the State. There was but one experiment, I believe, to amend by a Convention. In 1868, a Convention was called, elected, met in Milledgeville, discussed, disagreed and adjourned without result. The present Constitution provides the same means of amendment as that of 1798, with the additional requirement that the amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters for final ratification. Under this provision all amendments having the deliberate approval of the people can be adopted, and no others should be. Conventions to change the fundamental law or constitution of a State, should be called only upon the most important and urgent occasions to accomplish necessary protection, which cannot be attained in the ordinary, more safe and less expensive way. Very respectfully, NELSON TIFT.

General Young and the Washington Ring.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 18, 1873.

Editors Constitution: SIR—My attention has been called to a letter from Washington, copied into your paper with editorial comment, calling on me to answer a charge that I am one of the "Washington Ring." At the proper time I will refer my constituents to my votes which are of record. I was at first disposed to denounce the originator of this charge against me. But friends of experience urge me to wait and give him an opportunity to correct his own mistake.

Respectfully,

P. M. B. YOUNG,
Rep. 7th Cong. Dist. of Ga.

WASHINGTON, 19th December, 1873.

Editors Constitution, Atlanta, Ga. — You copied an article from the Courier Journal, in which its Washington correspondent, L. Q. W., speaks of General P. M. B. Young as "one of the friends of the Washington ring." I was one of the counsel of the Citizens' Association in the investigation before the committee of Congress. Having more leisure than the other counsel, and being personally interested as a large property-holder in Washington, I gave the matter more attention than my associates. Gen. Young being from my own district, I specially noticed his course. So far from being able to discover any special friendship for what was called the "Washington ring," the record shows that he invariably voted against them and with Roosevelt, of New York, and Crebs, of Illinois, the most prominent opponents of the ring.

I know L. Q. W. and have a high regard for him. He is incapable of doing intentional injustice. In this case, so far as General Young is concerned, he has been misinformed. If he does not take an early occasion to correct his mistake and do justice to General Young, he is not the man I have taken him to be.

Yours truly,

BEN. E. GREEN,
of Whitfield county, Georgia.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

A Variety of Interesting Matters—The Great Dr. Mary Walker—Mr. Stephens is Going to Speak on Civil Rights—Personals.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, December 20, 1873.

At the bull fight in Havana half a score or more of animals are killed in a day. Our Representatives are more merciful, and are satisfied with extinguishing one demagogue per diem. The slaughter of Mr. Lawrence, of Ohio, was attended with all the tortures to which the bull is put by matadors and picadors; but Sunset Cox faded away and was lost to sight in the twilight, as he fled a-Crossland Thursday night, to return to the arena. Ben Butler enacted the part of an infuriated bull, and gored and kicked and lunged at Republicans and Democrats alike. You cannot always tell in which direction Butler is looking, but there is never any doubt as to the target at which he lets fly his epithets. Butler is not at all fond of newspaper men, neither is his late distinguished colleague—Hon. John A. Bingham. Mr. Bingham's most endearing epithet for a Washington correspondent was rife, and Thursday night Butler called the occupants of the reporters' gallery venal slanderers and mud-slinging machines of forty jackass power. His speech has not yet appeared in the Congressional Record, but when it is published it will be shorn of all its after dinner extravagances and absurdities. On a former occasion Butler attacked the press and his words were taken by several in the gallery, but when the speech appeared in the Globe, the objectionable remarks had been stricken out. Another time Butler corrected the Globe so extensively that he struck out the remarks of Mr. Randall, of Pennsylvania, which bore rather severely on himself. It is, therefore, fair to presume that his terrific onslaught Thursday night on pretty much everybody in the House, will be divested of all its spice and strength when it finally gets into print.

THE CIVIL RIGHTS BILL.

Last session the Radicals attempted to whip and spur a civil rights bill through the House without debate. The Democratic minority, stronger then than now, wanted to be heard on the question, but were refused. They retaliated by filibustering, and were able to defeat the bill. The present civil rights bill, reported from the House Judiciary Committee, was called up by Butler yesterday, and it was his first intention to adopt the tactics of last session and force a vote on the measure before adjournment. He was led to think better of it, however. Mr. Stephens, who had come to the Capital despite the fact that he was physically unable to address the House, protested against this haste, and said he had hoped to be heard on this question. It was finally agreed that the previous question shall be considered as ordered on Monday, the 6th of January, at 4 P. M., allowing Monday's session and Monday afternoon for debate. Mr. Lamar, of Mississippi, will also address the House on this bill, but there will hardly be many speakers on the Democratic side. The passage of the bill is regarded as a foregone conclusion. It concedes all that the colored man can ask, and will hasten the day when the white man will have to take measures for his own protection.

DR. MARY WALKER,

that bifurcated nuisance, has taken to haunting the capitol since she was excluded from the Treasury Department. She bothered Secretary Richardson so that he gave orders to the messenger not to receive her card, and one day after she had insisted on her card being taken in to the Secretary, and the messenger had positively refused to receive it, she turned upon him and said: "I've a great mind to slap your face; you're a contemptible scoundrel." Some one reported the incident to the Secretary, and he promptly issued an order excluding Dr. Mary from the Treasury building. Now, if Congress will only pass a law excluding her from the District we should be happy who dwell in sight of the capitol.

THE HOLIDAY RECESS.

The Senate made a great to-do about taking the customary holiday recess. It assumed an immense deal of virtue and patriotism, prated of duty to one's country, and all that sort of thing, and after wasting three or four days in debate on the question of adjournment, when it might have been attending to public business, the Senate did just what was predicted from the first, adjourned over to January 5th. The House wanted to adjourn over to the 6th, and the Senate by holding for three days succeeded in shortening the recess by just one day. That is the Senatorial way of not doing business.

THE DEMOCRATS IN THE HOUSE

are without a leader. Mr. Stephens is too pure a man for many of them to follow, and the physical condition is not equal to the duties of leader. Hon. Heister Clymer, of Pennsylvania is a man fitted in every way for the position, and Mr. Lamar, of Mississippi, has ability and integrity, but I doubt if he cares to make himself conspicuous. In the absence of a recognized leader, the small fry are coming to the surface. Men who are utterly repudiated by their constituents, who have more brass than brains, and who are reeking with corruption, are assuming the airs of leaders and causing themselves to be announced as such by the hirelings of the press. They do this to command a higher price from the rings which buy their votes, but the imposture deceives no one.

BILLS, ETC., OF INTEREST TO GEORGIA.

The Senate yesterday passed General Gordon's resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for information concerning cotton seized after the war closed.

Mr. Whitthorn has introduced a bill in the House to build a canal at Muscle Shoals, Tennessee River.

Mr. Vance has presented joint resolutions of the Legislature of North Carolina asking for a law to refund the tax on cotton for the years 1865, '66, '67, '68.

PERSONAL.

The Georgia Congressional delegation called on Mr. Stephens in a body one day last week, to pay their respects to "the noblest Roman of them all."

Mr. Stephens wears his velvet skull cap while in his seat in the House. It is much more becoming than the black slouch hat he wore at first. Gen. Sibley brought Mr. Stephens a Turkish cap all the way from Egypt.

Gen. Young will probably address The Constitution a letter with reference to the accusation that he is a friend of the Washington ring. He says the records show that he has voted against the ring every time.

HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

A majority of the Congressmen started homeward last night, to remain for the holidays. Washington is comparatively deserted, and dullness reigns.

THOMAS HAUCK.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S WIFE

How Mrs. Williams was Married as a Girl, Divorced, again Married, Widowed and Finally Settled in Life.

Washington Gosip in General

[Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.]

WASHINGTON, December 16, 1873.

Observing the call you make in the Courier Journal for correspondents to enlighten the reading public in regard to the sinister insinuations about Judge Williams obtaining a divorce for the lady who is now his wife, and as I have the particulars, and they contain nothing to the discredit of either party, I do not hesitate to write what I have no doubt is the truth. Mrs. Williams' maiden name was Hughes, and she was born near St. Louis. While still a child, her parents moved to Keokuk, Iowa. At the age of fifteen Mrs. Williams did what many a foolish girl has done before and since that time—ran away and married a man of whom her parents disapproved. The husband was also too young for the responsible duties he had assumed, and before the birth of their child his wife had the most convincing proofs of his infidelity. She was ill and came near dying, but the kind physician who was in attendance took her home to her father's house, and there was a suit brought for divorce. Judge Williams had known her from childhood and granted the divorce.

HER SECOND MARRIAGE.

Mrs. Williams remained single for some years, when she again trusted her happiness into a husband's keeping and made a second mistake. Judge Williams was also married, and the two knew nothing of each other's whereabouts for many years. Mrs. Williams' husband was a drunkard, and they became very poor. Then she took matters in her own hands, left her husband, and opened a school in Oregon. She taught and earned money. One day a letter from California that her husband was dying in a hospital. Nobly she forgot all the sorrow he had caused, and she promptly responded to the call, and nursed him and supplied his wants until his death. After the funeral she returned to her school, which she kept until Judge Williams, who was now a widower,

ASKED HER TO BECOME HIS WIFE.

This was about the time he became United States Senator. This last marriage has proved happy and prosperous. Mrs. Williams' beauty is more than common and of a rare type. Very dark hair, with very blue eyes that have long dark lashes. Her complexion is fair and clear, features good, though not regular. Her form is full, as it should be, after the heyday of youth is passed. She has beautiful neck and arms. She dresses well, though not extravagantly; for, with all the receiving she does and the invitations she accepts, I don't think any winter she has had over six expensive dresses. I know I have seen some of the old ones turned and retrimmed. Mrs. Williams is an admirable housekeeper and manager. She is generous and hospitable. She has always taken in and understood the situation; and, without intrigue, or in any other way but such as a fond and good wife can do without blame, she has used her best endeavors to advance her husband's best interests. She has even gone further, and exerted herself to make the whole Administration popular. Second only to Mrs. Fish has she been in returning all calls and receiving all graciously.

Tennessee News.

The Greenville Union of the 18th inst. says the mountain tops were covered with snow at that date.

Hon. Andrew Johnson, we are informed, has accepted an invitation to address the working men of Nashville.

Dr. Munsey has again returned to his home after a very successful tour of lecturing in Middle and West Tennessee.

During a recent storm near Paris, a negro cabin was blown down and an infant child that was sleeping in the cabin at the time the storm struck it was carried a considerable distance and safely deposited under the restle-work of the railroad, where it was found alive and unhurt next morning.

The Somerville Falcon chronicles this item: "Lucy Lawrence, colored, died at our county poor house Tuesday, the 9th inst., aged 120 years. She was once owned by the noted robber, John A. Murrell, who figured so conspicuously in Tennessee and Kentucky many years ago and whose name was once such a terror to our people."

The Knoxville Chronicle of the 18th inst. says: "We learn from a reliable source, that on last Sunday, one week ago, Loudermilk was seen at Tellico Plains, and the following Thursday he was skulking around in the forks of the Hiwasse and Tennessee rivers. The same or following night a Mr. Powell, living in that neighborhood, lost a fine horse, and there is no doubt in the minds of the people there, but that Loudermilk stole it. He is certainly one of the most daring robbers East Tennessee has ever been cursed with, but he is most assuredly nearing his end, and will ere long keep Mangrum and the two Mynatts company.

The Clarksville Tobacco Leaf tells the following little tale: "A little girl in the country recently dreamed a new piece of music which she had never seen or heard of—really was never composed, and in her dream studied the music all night. So impressed was it upon her mind that she arose early in the morning, went to the piano, and played it as perfectly as if she had practiced it and had the notes before her. The following night she dreamed a lucky ticket in the Louisville Library Drawing, which promised a fortune to a prominent doctor in the vicinity (the family physician.) She told the doctor of the circumstance, who, by the way, does not 'go much' on dreams, but immediately ordered the number and has received it. Now, we shall know whether there is anything in dreaming or not."

Summary of State News.

GREENVILLE.

A petition is circulating to establish a new mail route from Greenville to Hoganseville.—*Vindicator.*

EASTMAN.

Gen. Ira R Foster will carry a number of persons with him to the Alabama Canaan.—*Times.*

AUGUSTA.

Frank Bignon, Henry Jackson and Bill Mooney, colored, have been committed to stealing fowls. They offered to sell nine ducks for $1 25, thus defying competition. The last has "vamosed."—T A Klesner and A M Averill, job printers, have removed to [illegible].—*Constitutionalist.*

[illegible]

Judge [illegible] Tucker died [illegible], in his fifty-sixth year. He has been Ordinary of Thomas county since [illegible].—*Times.*

BLAKELY.

Miller county objects to a radius twenty inches in circumference, weighing five and three-quarters of a pound.—Dr. George W. Holmes, of Atlanta, is in Blakely on a visit.—Prof. Smith killed a fine buck a few miles from town.—The Early Guards will be presented with a flag on Christmas.—Mrs. W. J. F[illegible] was seriously injured by being thrown out of a buggy.—Mr. James [illegible], in Calhoun county, was killed by being thrown out of his buggy against a stump.—*News.*

AMERICUS.

Six or seven acres of darkies assembled to see the circus.—The gin house of J. M. Alston, with three bales of cotton, destroyed by incendiary fire.—M. H. Moffett has been elected member of the Legislature in Lee county, *vice* Dr. H. B. Lipsey, deceased. *Republican.*

BAINBRIDGE.

A healthy reaction has taken place in the churches.—Colonel J. W. Magill elected Chief of the Fire Department: R. M. Johnson First Assistant, and Jesse R. Griffin Second Assistant.—A young man employed in the Democrat office fallen heir to $25,000. *Democrat.*

CONYERS.

Candy pullings fashionable in the neighborhood of the paper mill.—A grand display of fire-works will take place on Christmas eve.—*Examiner.*

MACON

Twenty-nine thousand Florida oranges from the grove of Rev. W. Watkins sticks, on the St. John's, Florida, is offered very low.—Bishop Keener, of New Orleans, was in attendance on the South Georgia Conference Friday.—Mrs. L. B. Childs, of Columbia, S. C., died suddenly of heart disease at the Brown House.—The Court House in Newton, Baker county, was destroyed by fire on the 15th. Nearly all the records lost. Loss over $5,000.—Louis Rutherford, colored, resisted arrest at Marshallville, and was fatally shot by the constable.—Reddick Ward, living on the Howard place, was struck on the head by a fallow block weighing several hundred pounds. The block was injured most.—*Telegraph and Messenger.*

COLUMBUS.

The factories paid out Saturday $11,000.—Receipts of cotton to date in Columbus 36,706 bales.—John Swed drew a $75,000 prize in a lottery.—The Columbus Library Literary Association organized by the election of C. J. Swift, President; T. J. Chappell, Vice President; Gus. R. Glenn, Critic.—*Sun.*

Conyers Female College.

CONYERS, GA., December 13, 1873.

The stockholders of Conyers Female College met at the Court-house to-day, and were organized by the election of J. M. Summers, Chairman, and J. H. Griffin, Secretary, *pro tem.*

By request of Chairman, Rev. H. Quigg stated the object of the meeting to be the election of a Board of Trustees.

On motion of R. A. Guinn, the Convention proceeded to the election, which resulted in the selection of the following gentlemen to constitute the Board of Trustees for Conyers Female College:

H. Quigg,	T. C. Posey,
T. J. Treadwell,	H. P. Almand,
A. H. Zachry,	J. P. Rosser,
B. N. McKnight,	J. H. Griffin,
A. L. Davidson.	

Mr. Quigg introduced a resolution of thanks to Messrs. B. N. McKnight and A. H. Zachry for their generosity in the purchase of College property, at Sheriff's sale, and afterwards offering it at cost, to the friends of the institution, thereby saving the College from sinking into oblivion. Carried.

Resolution introduced by Mr. Quigg, looking to the enlargement of College building, was carried.

On motion of A. L. Davidson, these proceedings be published in The Atlanta Constitution, Conyers Examiner and Covington Enterprise. Carried.

J. M. SUMMERS, Chairman.

J. H. GRIFFIN, Secretary.

[*Conyers Examiner.*

BY TELEGRAPH

TO THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION.

EARLY NIGHT NEWS

WASHINGTON.

CUFFEE AFTER HIS RIGHTS—ROYAL MOVEMENTS—KU-KLUX PARDONED.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—The President is expected to return to-morrow.

Secretary Richardson spends Christmas in Boston.

A delegation of colored persons is coming here to urge Congress to give them their property rights in the Indian Territory and citizenship together with courts, and a form of government that will protect them.

Marion Fowler, John Whitlock and Wm. Ramsey, all of South Carolina, and now serving terms at Albany for Ku-Klux offences, will be pardoned.

Captain Michener, who was arrested last week for abstracting money from letters in the Dead-Letter office, had a preliminary examination to-day and was held for the action of the grand jury.

Congressman Waddell, of North Carolina, is among the homeward bound to-day.

THE WEATHER.

RAIN IN GEORGIA AND A SLIGHT RISE OF TEMPERATURE.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—For New England, clear or partly cloudy weather will prevail with light variable winds and slight changes of pressure and temperature.

For the lower lake region and the Middle States, light to fresh northeasterly to southerly winds, with increasing cloudiness and possibly areas of snow by night.

For the Southern States less pressure, with a slight rise of temperature. Cloudy weather and rain east of the Mississippi River.

For the Ohio Valley light to fresh variable winds, with cloudy weather, and probably rain or snow.

For the Upper Lake region less pressure with partly cloudy weather and possibly light snow in Michigan and over Lake Superior.

For the Northwest light to fresh to southwesterly winds, with partly cloudy weather, except in the southern portion of this District, where threatening weather may prevail during Tuesday.

COTHAM CLIMPSES.

RAPE CASE—THE GENET ESCAPE—THE RING RASCALS.

NEW YORK, December 22.—Recorder Hackett to-day sentenced a man to twenty years imprisonment for committing a rape on a girl eight years old. The Recorder regretted that he could not impose the death sentence.

Sheriff Brennan has offered five thousand dollars reward for the arrest of Genet. Action has already been taken by the District Attorney toward a proceeding against the Sheriff for contempt for alleged disobedience of the orders of Court in reference to the custody of Genet.

In the Court of Oyer and Terminer to-day, Genet's counsel said they would proceed to perfect their bill of exceptions.

Michael Norton, Thomas Connor, John J. Walsh and George S. Miller, ex-ring county court house commissioners, were called today for trial on a charge of misdemeanor while in office. The defendants failed to appear, and their recognizances were forfeited on all the indictments, with the exception of one against Connor. Andrew J. Smith, indicted the same as above, appeared and pleaded not guilty. Ex-Mayor Hall was in court all the morning with his counsel, but his case was not called.

Arrived—Steamship Georgia, City of Chester, Celtic.

LABORERS ON THE RAMPAGE.

PHILADELPHIA, December 22.—There was considerable excitement along the wharves to-day in consequence of a strike among the laborers. All the steamship lines had given notice that on to-day they would only pay twenty cents per hour. All the men struck, demanding thirty cents per hour, and the American steamship line paid thirty cents in order to unload the steamer Pennsylvania that arrived on Saturday, and the hands continued to work. The Clyde's steamship line had obtained men at twenty cents. The strikers claimed the submission of the American line as a harbinger of success, and seem determined to force those working at lower rates to join the strikers.

DON'T SEND MONEY TO WASHINGTON FOR SEEDS.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—The Commissioner of Agriculture is much annoyed by persons sending money to pay postage on seed, reports, etc., and therefore gives notice that money should never be sent to his department for any purpose.

BANKRUPT DECISION.

A VERY IMPORTANT CASE.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—The Supreme Court to-day rendered the following important decision: No. 84—Wilson, assignee, [illegible]

adjudged in bankruptcy Vandershoff Brothers, vs. City Bank of St. Paul. Certificate of division from the Circuit Court for Minnesota in this case. Vanderhoff Brothers, owing the bank, suffered their entire stock of goods to be seized on an execution on a judgment by default obtained against them by the bank, and thus as alleged, fraudulently preferred the bank over their other creditors against the provisions of the bankrupt act, and the assignee sought to have the proceeds of the sale on execution applied to the claims of all the creditors. On these facts the following questions arose on which the court divided, and they were certified to this Court for answer:

1. Whether or not an intent on the part of the firm to suffer their property to be taken on execution with intent to give a preference to the bank, or with intend to defeat or delay the operations of the Bankrupt act can be inferred from the facts stated.

2. Whether, under the facts, the bank in their proceedings had reasonable cause to believe that a fraud on the Bankrupt act was intended by the firm.

3. Whether, under the circumstances, the bank obtained by the levy and execution a valid lien on the goods as against the assignee in bankruptcy.

In their opinion the Court say something more than the passive non-resistance of an insolvent debtor to regular judicial proceedings in which a judgment and execution are had when the debt is due, and he is without defense to the action, is necessary to show a preferment of a creditor or a purpose to defeat or delay the operation of the bankrupt act. That the fact that the debtor under such circumstances does not file a petition in bankruptcy is not sufficient evidence of such preference or desire to defeat the operation of the act. That though the judgment creditor, in such a case, may know the insolvent condition of the debtor, his levy and seizure are not void under the circumstances nor any violation of the bankrupt law. That a lien thus obtained by him will not be displaced by subsequent proceedings in bankruptcy against the debtor, though within four months of the filing of the bill. These propositions require the questions certified to be answered; the first two in the negative and the third in the affirmative. This decision overrules or largely qualifies what was said by Justice Clifford in delivering the opinion of the court in the case of Buchanan vs Smith at the last term.

EARLY STARS.

QUEENSTOWN, December 22.—The American line steamer Ohio arrived at two o'clock P. M., making the trip in 8 days and 22 hours from Philadelphia.

WESTCHESTER, PA., December 22.—The bogus Lord Massey had a hearing this morning on a charge of false pretences. Another charge against him was for obtaining a watch by false pretences. The case was adjourned to procure additional evidence.

ALBANY, December 22.—Five or six boys, ranging from fifteen to eighteen years of age, have been arrested at Schenectady, on a charge of incendiarism. Some five or six fires recently occurring are attributed to them.

LONDON, December 22, 4 P. M.—Rate of discount, in open market for three months bills, four and a quarter or one-quarter per cent. below bank rate amount.

WESTCHESTER, PA., December 22.—Lord Massey had another hearing this evening, when the charges withdrawn and he was discharged.

THE BANKRUPT LAW.

SENATORIAL CORRESPONDENCE ABOUT ITS AMENDMENT.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—Senator Hitchcock has addressed the following letter to Senator Edmunds, chairman of Judiciary Committee:

UNITED STATES SENATE CHAMBER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., December 20, 1774.

Dear Sir: Regretting the failure of the Senate to act prior to the holiday recess upon the bill repealing the bankrupt law, so far at least as to wipe out the present oppressive feature of involuntary bankruptcy, and fearing that it will aggravate financial suffering and add others to the already long list of victims, I desire to obtain your opinion of the feasability of so amending the bankrupt law as to make the repeal of the oppressive features retroactive, and also your opinion as to the probability of the early passage of such amendments. Your reputation as a lawyer and position as chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee will give weight to your opinion, and such action, if affirmatively given on each of the propositions above named will, I think, go far to relieve public anxiety and prevent useless and oppressive litigation.

Faithfully yours,

(Signed) P. W. HITCHCOCK.

To Hon. George F. Edmunds, Chairman of the Senate Committee on Judiciary.

Senator Edmunds replied as follows:

U. S. SENATE CHAMBER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., December 22, 1873.

DEAR SIR:—I have received your note of the 20th inst., and will say in reply that I do not profess to speak for any person but myself, of course; but, in so speaking, I have no hesitation in saying that any provision that may be made respecting the forcing of a debtor into involuntary bankruptcy, and the proceedings thereon, will so far as my voice goes, be made retroactive in such a way that no person will gain anything by oppressiveness towards a debtor pending the consideration of the question, as all such matter relate to remedies which Congress may take away altogether if it pleases. There will be no impropriety in making any wise provision which regulates the proceedings to just ends, apply to pending cases, and I feel great confidence that such will be the opinion of the Senate.

Very truly, yours,

GEORGE T. EDMUNDS.

To Hon. P. W. Hitchcock, U. S. Senate.

MIDNIGHT NEWS.

GOTHAM.

EX-MAYOR HALL ON TRIAL—BROTHER-IN-LAW CASEY—THE GENET CASE.

NEW YORK, December 22.—The trial of ex-Mayor Hall commenced in the Court of Oyer and Terminer to-day. Seven jurors took their seats subject to peremptory challenge.

Clarence Brown was arrested to-day for stealing trunks from different hotels in the city on false checks.

General Casey, collector at the port of New Orleans, was one of the victims in the Court of Oyer and Terminer this afternoon.

The District Attorney moved for an order against Sheriff Brennan or his deputy, W. J. Shields, to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt in disregarding the order of the Court.

In the Genet case the District Attorney said he notified the Sheriff Saturday that Genet might escape, but no attention was paid to the notification. An order returnable at 10 A. M. to-morow was granted.

The latest in regard to the escape of Genet is that he embarked on his own yacht, which had been loaded with provisions and filled with friends in readiness for his flight.

NEW YORK, December 22.—Michael Ryan and sister were found murdered by having their throats cut in a tenement house in Broome street to day. It is supposed robbery was the cause. No clue.

MARINE.

LONDON, December 22.—Arrived at Liverpool—schooner W. L. Burroughs, Charleston. At Dartmouth—bark Louise Wychards from Wilmington for Hamburg. Sailed from Belfast—Fore t Queen, for Savannah.

LONDON, December 22.—Arrived—France.

BOSTON, December 22.—United States steamer Franklin sailed for Key West this evening.

SAVANNAH, December 22.—The steamship Oriental, for Boston, has been ashore on the Horseshoe since Sunday morning. Several tugs pulled at her, but were unable to get her off. She will be lightened to-night. Arrived—Teresa, Emblo, George Peabody, Catherine Larango, Taylor, Mather, J. C. Thompson, Thomas W. Haven, Nellie H. Benedict, Wm. Wiler, Emma D. Finney, A. J. Tabeus.

Cleared—John MaVei, Paragua, Enrique, Loyal, Edina De Chi, Armada, Hall, Charles Sawyer.

A large British steamship passed the bar and went into Port Royal.

VIOLENT LABOR STRIKE.

PHILADELPHIA, December 22.—The strikers marched through the streets, visiting the different wharves. Where persuasion failed to compel the men to stop work threats were used. About a dozen were arrested. One man was seriously beaten.

FOREIGN.

TWELVE NEW CATHOLIC CARDINALS—FRENCH TROUBLES.

ROME, December 22.—In the Consistory to-day the Pope delivered an allocution and appointed twelve Cardinals.

LONDON, December 22.—Hon. St. Gillery Piggott, Baron of Exchequer, is dead.

PARIS, December 22.—In the Assembly to-day several members alluded to the imperfect postal arrangements between France and the United States, and urged the government to hasten the signing of the pending convention. They complained of the present situation declaring it to be injurious to French commerce, and intolerable to the people at large. The Financial Secretary replied that it was the earnest desire of the Washington government to harmonize the interests of the two countries, and that a speedy understanding is expected.

THE HAGUE, December 22.—A dispatch from Panang, dated December 20, announces that the Dutch troops have occupied both banks of the river running through Achien. The Sultan seeing defeat inevitable, has given in his submission to the Dutch Commonwealth.

THE VIRGINIUS.

A HOME THRUST BY A SPANISH JOURNAL—THE SPANISH DEBT IN CUBA.

HAVANA, December 22. The Diario in announcing that the government at Washington has recognized the fact that the Virginius was not entitled to carry the American flag, says: After this acknowledgment not the slightest doubt ought to remain that the Virginius was a legal prize and her crew were pirates, whom the Spanish court justly treated as such; and the demands of the United States were unjust and unfounded. We now expect that the United States will grant the reparation due to Spain, and we hope, also, that Spain will present other claims against the United States. In Junta to-day a statement of the debt of the island was presented; a plan to arrange the financial affairs and solve the financial question was also presented. They will submit another plan. The debt of the island is $87,000,000; notes of the Spanish bank in circulation $104,000,000.

The government authorizes railroad companies to charge rates of freight and passengers in gold or its equivalent in paper. This shows the government is averse to proclaiming a forced paper circulation.

The steamer Moro Castle, from New York arrived this morning.

Financial and Commercial.

Atlanta Cotton Statement.

ATLANTA, GA., December 22, 1873.—Cotton closed quiet at 13 cents.

RECEIPTS FOR TO-DAY.

By wagon	80	bales.
By West Point Railroad	24	"
By Georgia Railroad	98	"
By Central Railroad	38	"
By Western and Atlantic Railroad	36	"
Total	276	
Receipts previous	40,883	
Total receipts	41 159	bales
Shipments to-day	490	"
Shipments previous	38,128	"
Total shipments	38,6 8	bales
Stock on hand	2,541	"

Telegraph Market Reports.

NEW YORK, December 22.—Cotton weak at 15¼; sales 1,311 bales; net receipts 608; gross 9,844.

Futures closed quiet; sales 25,800 bales. January, 15; February, 15 17-32; March, 16 1-32a16 1-16; April, 16 1-2; May 17.

Southern flour quiet; common to fair extra $6 75a6 78; good to choice extra $7 85a11. Whisky firmer at 99a$1. Wheat 1a2c better with a fair export demand; winter red western $1 60. Corn opened 1a2c better, but closed quiet, the advance nearly lost. Pork quiet and steady; new mess on spot $16. Beef quiet and unchanged. Lard firmer at 8 1-8. Turpentine weak at 41 1-2a42. Rosin dull at $3 50. Tallow steady 7½. Freights for Liverpool quiet; wheat per steam 12 1-2; cotton 1-2.

Money easier at 5a6c; exchange dull at 8½. Gold dull and stagnant at 9 1-4a9 3-8. Governments dull and strong. States quiet and nominal.

LATER.—81s 18½; 62s 12½; 64s 14; 65s 14½; new 17; 67s 17 3 8; 68s 17½; new 5s 10 5-8; 10-40s 11 1-8.

NEW ORLEANS, December 22.—Flour in fair local demand; common, $4 75a5 12 1-2; trible extra, $6 50a7 75; family, $8 50a9 75. Corn in fair demand and supply at 73a75c. Oats dull and lower at 52a53c. Bran dull and easier at 97 1-2c. Hay dull at $23. Choice pork scarce and firmer at $15 25. Dry salt meats quiet at 6 1-4c; shoulders, 8 1-8c; clear rib, 8 1-4c; clear sides, —. Bacon firmer at 8c; shoulders, 8½ for clear rib sides; 8¾a9 for clear. New hams scarce and in demand at 13½a14. Lard firm and in light supply; tierce 8 3-4; keg 9¼a9 3-4. Sugar dull; inferior 4a4½; common 5a5 3-4; fair to fully fair 6 7½, prime to choice 7½a8¼. Molasses in good demand; 40a42 for fair fermenting; 50a54 for fair to good; 55a59 prime to strictly prime. Whisky lower, at 96a97c. Coffee firm at 21 3-4a27c. Corn meal scarce at $3 30. Freights to Liverpool 3 4c, per steam and sail; to New York 1-2c, per steam.

The banks to-day resumed currency payment, without giving any notification. All transactions were made in currency quotations.

Gold 110 1-4a110 3-4. Exchange—New York sight bills 1 4a1-2 per cent. discount. Sterling exchange—Bank drafts 18 1-2.

LOUISVILLE, December 22.—Flour quiet. Grain in fair demand, market firm. Corn—new shelled 50a55. Provisions firm with an advancing tendency. Pork $15 50a16 00. Bacon nominal. Lard—steam 8 1 4; leaf 9a10 1-4. Whisky 90 1-2.

LIVERPOOL, December 22—4 P. M.—Cotton—Sales on a basis of Orleans middlings; nothing below good ordinary shipped. For December and January 8 6-16.

Evening—Cotton—Sales of uplands; nothing below good ordinary shipped; for December and January 8 1-8.

Spirits terpentine 30s 6da31.

LONDON, December 22.—Spirits turpentine 31a33.

NORFOLK, December 22.—Cotton easier; low middlings 14 3 4; net receipts 7,256 bales; exports coastwise 8,362; sales 456; stock 19,548.

BALTIMORE, December 22.—Cotton dull and lower; middlings 15½; low middlings 14 3 4; strict good ordinary 13 7 8; net receipts 243 bales; gross 1,352; exports coastwise 387; France 791; sales 250; stock 17,125.

MEMPHIS, December 22.—Cotton dull; low middlings 14 1-2; receipts 7,604; shipments 5,750; stock 56,850.

CINCINNATI, December 22.—Flour firm and steady at $7a$7 25. Corn firm at 64a68. Pork quiet at $15a$15 25 cash sales; buyers for March at $15 50. Lard firm; steam 8¼a8 1 4; kettle 8 3-4. Bacon firm; no shoulders here; clear rib and clear sides 8. Whisky quiet at 91.

GALVESTON, December 22.—Cotton steady; good ordinary 14½; ordinary 13¼ net receipts 5,634 bales; exports coastwise 1,893; sales 3,500; stock 80,737.

MOBILE, December 22.—Cotton dull and easier; middlings 15 1-4; low middlings 14½; strict good ordinary 13 3 4a14; net receipts 5,987 bales; exports to the continent 500; coastwise 2,820; sales 1,000; stock 52,653.

PHILADELPHIA, December 22.—Cotton dull; middlings 16½; low middlings 15½; strict good ordinary 15; receipts 389 bales; shipments 956.

WILMINGTON, December 22.—Cotton quiet; middlings 14½; net receipts 328 bales; exports to Great Britain 100; stock 4,363.

AUGUSTA, December 22.—Cotton dull; middlings 14½; receipts 2,020 bales; sales 1,828.

CHARLESTON, December 22.—Cotton lower; middlings 14 7-8a15; low middlings 14 3-4; strict good ordinary 14; net receipts 5,790 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,179; France 1,620; coastwise 1,463; sales 1,500; stock 57,226.

BOSTON, December 22.—Cotton dull and lower; middlings 16 1-4; net receipts 84 bales; gross 2,256; sales 200; stock 6,000.

ST. LOUIS, December 22.—Flour firm and in fair demand for low and medium grades. Corn dull at 51a53c for new mixed. Whisky steady at 95c. Pork nominally $14 50. Bacon firm, clear ribs 8 1 4c; clear sides 8 1-2c. Lard nominally held at 8c.

NEW ORLEANS, December 22.—Cotton in fair demand for the lower rates of middlings at 15 3 4c; net receipts, 20,260; gross, 22,168 bales; exports to Great Britain, 6,664; continent, 5,362; coastwise, 275 bales; sales 5,000; Saturday evening, 4,000 bales; stock on hand, 220,165 bales.

SAVANNAH, December 22.—Cotton in good demand; middlings, 14c; net receipts, 11,201 bales; exports coastwise, 7,946 bales; sales, 1,600 bales; stock on hand, 124,006 bales.

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW OPERA HOUSE

C. B. JEFFERSON..........

ONE NIGHT ONLY!

Wednesday December 24, 1873.

JOSEPH JEFFERSON

—AS—

RIP VAN WINKLE!

RESERVED SEATS, Dress Circle and Parquette, $1 50. Admission $1 00. Gallery 50 cents. Private Boxes $5 00 and $7 50. Sale of reserved seats commences at Phillips & Crew's Book and Music Store, Tuesday, December 23, at 9 o'clock A. M.

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THREE NIGHTS ONLY!

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GRAND HOLIDAY MATINEES on Christmas and Saturday afternoons at 3 o'clock.

Reserved seats at Phillips & Crew's Book and Music Store, without extra charge.

THOS. W. BROWN, Agent.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ATLANTA, GA., December 22, 1873.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the

ATLANTA NATIONAL BANK

WILL BE HELD AT THEIR

BANKING HOUSE,

ON

TUESDAY, January 6, 1874,

AT 11 o'clock A. M., for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and transaction of other business proper for said meeting.

dec23 d4t WILLIAM H. TULLER, Cashier.

WANTED.

A BEAUTIFUL and THOUROUGHLY EDUCATED YOUNG LADY, eighteen years old, wishes to engage with a first-class Theatrical Troupe. Address, stating terms,

LAURA LEIGH,
Care W. A. Hemphill & Co.,
Atlanta, Ga.

dec23—dlt

CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

WILL be sold by the Live Auction House of Mayson & Norman, commencing to-day at 9 o'clock, a large and well selected lot of Confectionaries, Toys Candies, Fruits, Fire Works, etc., etc. The sales will continue day and night until closed out. Sales positive.

T. C. MAYSON, Auctioneer.

dec23—dlt

PICTURE SALES.

THE sale of those Beautiful Pictures at the Live Auction House of Mayson & Norman, will be continued to night. All who wish to make a Christmas Present, can find a Handsome Selection at the POPULAR PLACE FOR AT RACTIONS. Call early if you want a Good Selection.

T. C. MAYSON, Auctioneer.

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Atlanta Select School

FOR

GIRLS.

The third session of this School will open

JANUARY 12, 1874,

AT

No. 153 Whitehall Street,

Near Trinity Church.

EACH session adds to the numbers of its pupils, and it may be now regarded as an Institution of the city.

Parents who are desirous of giving their daughters a careful training at a very reasonable cost, would do well to patronize this School.

For circulars address the Principal.

dec23—dlm J. H. LOGAN.

Notice in Bankruptcy.

IN the District Court of the United States, Northern District of Georgia—in the matter of William Shadric, Bankrupt—in bankruptcy.

This is to give notice, once a week for three weeks, that I have been appointed Assignee of the estate of William Shadric, of Clayton county, in said District, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition, by the District Court, for said District.

GEORGE MANSFIELD, Assignee,
Jonesboro, Georgia.

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IN the District Court of the United States—Northern District of Georgia.—In the matter of Daniel P. Hill, a Bankrupt—In Bankruptcy.

This is to give notice, once a week for three weeks, that I have been appointed Assignee of the estate of Daniel P. Hill, of Fulton county, in said district, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition by the District Court for said District, December 4, 1873.

E. F. HOGE, Assignee.

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GEORGIA, Dekalb County.

ORDINARY'S OFFICE, December 22, 1873.

REUBEN HERNDON has applied for exemption and setting apart and valuation of homestead, and I will pass upon the same at 11 o'clock A. M., on the first day of January, 1874, at my office.

JOHN B STEWARD, Ordinary.

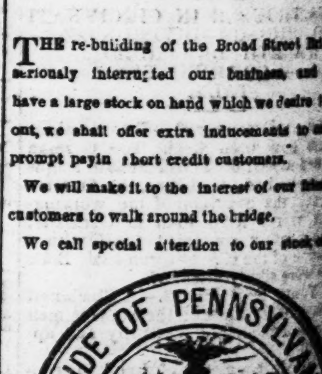
dec23—w2w printer's fee $2

BROAD STREET BRIDGE.

THE re-building of the Broad Street Bridge has seriously interrupted our business, and as we have a large stock on hand which we desire to close out, we shall offer extra inducements to cash and prompt paying short credit customers.

We will make it to the interest of our friends and customers to walk around the bridge.

We call special attention to our stock of



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Copper Distilled North Carolina RYE,

RYE WHISKIES, of various grades,

Peach and Apple BRANDY,

N. E. and Jamaica RUM,

SCOTCH WHISKY, (For hot Punches)

Also, a complete assortment of Port and Sherry WINES.

Give us a call.

CHAPMAN & RHAM, No. 17 Broad street.

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Short Profits, Quick Sales.

WE are, to-day Moving into our New Store, Jackson's Building, corner Pryor and Alabama streets, and at the west corner of the Passenger Depot, where we shall be glad to see all of our old, and many new customers. We have long since been convinced of the truth of "Short profits and quick sales," for "A nimble penny is worth a slow [illegible]" buying in this market, for Cash, [illegible] maturity, will find it to their interest [illegible]. On all goods ordered of us in car-load lots [illegible] charge no drayage, as we have a side track [illegible] full car-loads in and out without [illegible].

Fuller & Smith, Wholesale [illegible]

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Trotting Buggies.

VERY Light and Strong, [illegible]

WOODRUFF & [illegible]

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THE DAILY CONSTITUTION

ATLANTA:

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1873.

SUGAR CREEK PAPER MILLS
WM. McNAUGHT & CO.

Our Daily and Weekly CONSTITUTION for specimen of our "news." mar11-1y

Redwine & Fox Have Kept it Up Since 1865.

To supply the trade with pure drugs, paints and ... consequence, that the people need a good ... Redwine & Fox.

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Atlanta Branch Great Southern Oil and Paint Works, 49 & 51 Pryor street. Pure Leads, Lard, Linseed, and Burning Oils, Colors, Varnishes, Window-Glass, Lamps, etc., at Wholesale. Artists' materials, Crayons, Pencils, Canvass, Stretchers, Waters and Oil Colors, etc., a speciality. apr15-eodly

Removal.—Lochrey has moved his office for the receiving and delivery of work to East Hunter street, opposite the Christian Church. He can now do more dyeing than before. When you want to dye go to Lochrey's. oct7-tf

Oysters and Fish.—L. Cook has a full supply of Fish and Oysters, and will keep them through the season, on Whitehall street. oct 27-tf

The Seven Wonders of Atlanta.

1. The Observatory.
2. The Mineral Spring.
3. Uniformed Police.
4. The Magnificent Fire Department.
5. The New Iron Bridge.
6. The beauty of the ladies.
7. The greatest of all—show Ladies' Underwear can be bought so cheap at No. 45 Marietta street, opposite the Post Office. oct26-deodtf

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

Index to New Advertisements.—Mayson & Norman will sell this morning at ten o'clock, confectionaries, toys, candles, fire works, etc.

The sale of beautiful pictures will be continued to night at the Live Auction House of Mayson & Norman.

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See legal notice of John B. Steward, Ordinary of DeKalb county.

See Notice in Bankruptcy of George Mansfield, assignee.

See notice in bankruptcy of E F Hoge, Assignee.

Dr S B Collins, of LaPorte, Ind., notifies the public that orders must be addressed to him for his opium antidote.

Go to Wheeler & Wilson's Sewing Machine Depot and get a sewing machine as a Christmas gift for your wife.

Games at Phillips & Crew's.

Christmas gifts at Howard & Stule's.

Go for those gobblers at Giffin's to-day.

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Yesterday and last night was decidedly Pluvius, cold and disagreeable.

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A fine assortment of childrens' chairs and bureaus. Also a splendid lot of parlor and bed room sets. Furniture of all kinds. Panic prices at

JAMES L. WATKINS,
dec21 3t 88 Whitehall street.

Have just received a car load choice Peachblow Potatoes for table use. W. F. STOKES,
dec21-d3t 17 Alabama street.

My friends in the country will please send their orders by telegraph and I will try to supply in time for the Christmas trade. W. F. STOKES,
dec21-dtf 17 Alabama street

Dr. J. G. Westmoreland has removed his office to James' Bank Block, up stairs, Room No. 6.
dec23-1t

The Sunday Schools at Stone Mountain have a Christmas tree at the Methodist Church Thursday night. The public are invited to attend.

Car Load of Turkeys.—I will receive this morning a car load of turkey gobblers. Come early and get choice. R. J. GRIFFIN,
No. 33 Decatur street.

Thompson will have bear meat, venison, wild ducks, shell oysters, pheasants, prairie hens, quail and game of all kinds to-day. Seasonable articles for Christmas cheer.

Parlor Kaleidoscope on stand. Price $4. At Phillips & Crew's.

An eating match will take place at the National Hotel between the Harris' at noon on the 24th. Admission, including dinner, fifty cents.

Call at Lewis H. Clarke's and get some first-rate furs at astonishingly low figures.

A new 7 1-3 octave Piano, carved legs, full size, beautiful finish, and warranted to be durable. Price $275. Write or call on Phillips & Crew.

Soft and pleasant to the eyes is the light given by the Diamond Oil to be found at Law & Co's.

Another Gin House Burned.—The gin-house of Mr. George Dadwyler, of Jackson county, together with thirty-six bales of cotton, was destroyed by fire on the 18th inst.

An organ with five stops and five octaves for $100, at Phillips & Crew's.

A horse, attached to a dray loaded with coal, ran away yesterday in front of Pullum & Low's drug store, and upset two drays, damaging one dray a good deal.

Beef.—W. T. Rankin shipped from Bedford county, Tenn., two beef cattle weighing 4,035 pounds, to be slaughtered by A. S. Worsham, one for Christmas, and the other for New Year's Day. Alderman Sparks will slaughter a two-year old calf weighing 1,600 pounds.

Picture Sale.—The sale of fine pictures will be continued at the Live Auction House to-night, by Mayson & Norman. Go and secure one while you can. You will never get as fine pictures so cheap.

Christmas Gifts.—Mayson & Norman will sell to-day at 10 o'clock, a large collection of confectioneries, toys, candies, fire works, etc. The sale is positive. Be on hand and get your Christmas gifts.

The alarm of fire at ten o'clock last night was caused by the burning of a house to the left of the Rolling Mill, and out of the corporate limits of the city. About nine o'clock a negro shanty, near the Female, caught on fire, but was soon extinguished.

A regular meeting of Atlanta Lodge, No. 59, F. A. M. will be held Thursday night at 7 o'clock, sharp. Annual election for officers; also, other business of importance.

Every member earnestly requested to be present.
By order W. M.
John R. Grambling, Secretary pro tem.
dec23 wed-thur

Three Thousand Dollars worth of blank books in store and for sale by Phillips & Crew, No. 1, Marietta street.

Postponement of the Centennial Calico Party.—On account of the inclemency of the weather the calico party in behalf of the Library is postponed till Monday evening 29th instant.

Contributions of all sorts are solicited, for the provision tables, the variety table, the Christmas tree and the grab tree. All such contributions may be left at the library rooms, where they will be cared for by Mr. Bartlett.

The chairmen of the several committees are requested to meet at the Library Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Mrs. J. M. Ball, President.

J. W. Chester, Secretary.

Ho! for Christmas.

To Advertisers.

Bring in your advertisements for the Christmas holidays. Make use of the mammoth daily edition of The Constitution. It goes everywhere—to the mansions of the rich and the humbler homes of the poor. There can be no other medium of advertisements as effective as the newspaper, and The Constitution far surpasses any other such medium in Atlanta. It is everywhere, we repeat. Send in your advertisements.

To Cough or Not to Cough.—Now is the winter of our discontent made desponding gloom by an unrelenting cough. To cough or not to cough, that's the question. Whether it is better to bear the cough we have or fly at once to that remedial conqueror: the vanquisher of such ills—Globe Flower Cough Syrup—whose mandate is absolute to disperse the legion of enemies assailing the human system through the medium of a cough.

Globe Flower Cough Syrup and a cough cannot long inhabit the same body. As immutably as the laws of nature, the result is always the same. The cough must get out. oct23-1t

NO POSTPONEMENT.

Big Presents for Some, December 31st.

From the People.

Subscription Receipts Booming.

Letters by Hundreds Pouring In.

There has been a general idea that our Distribution would be postponed, because it is often done. But when, on the day announced, we promptly turned over the entire matter to our Commissioners, and the day being appointed by them for the Distribution we declared that no postponement, under *any* circumstances, should take place, our subscribers realized the fact and are consequently coming in with a rush. When we say this we mean it, as our citizens daily witness by *seeing our books*. Yesterday, for a time, promised to surpass any previous day in receipts, the amount from subscriptions nearly reaching a thousand dollars. We urge our old subscribers to forward, *at once*. Some surely get large gifts, and all get something.

We select a few letters from a hundred or more lying before us.

FROM JEFFERSON, GA.

JEFFERSON, Jackson County, Ga., Dec. 20 1873.
Messrs. W. A. Hemphill & Co.: Enclosed please find $10 for the daily CONSTITUTION, subscription to commence with Christmas day.
Very respectfully.

CLUB FROM MIDDLE GEORGIA.

DAWSONVILLE, GA., December 20th, 1873.
W. A. Hemphill & Co., Atlanta, Ga.:
GENTLEMEN—Enclosed please find $12, for which please send one copy of THE WEEKLY CONSTITUTION for twelve months to the following at Dawsonville, Ga., viz:
D. M. S.
J. M. S.
J. B. S.
S. C.
D. N. S.
T. H.
Respectfully, ——.

FROM ALABAMA.

OPELIKA, ALA., December 20, 1873.
Mr. W. A. Hemphill:
DEAR SIR—Inclosed you will find an order for $10 for THE CONSTITUTION for 1873. Please send me a card.
Yours Respectfully,
Miss ——.

FROM THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

BRUNSWICK P. O., ISSAQUENA, CO., MISS.
Messrs. Wm. Hemphill & Co: Enclosed find ten dollars to pay my subscription to THE DAILY CONSTITUTION for 1874. Please acknowledge receipt and send me a card in your distribution.
Very respectfully,
H. J.

A CLUB FROM ALABAMA.

OPELIKA, ALA.
Messrs. M. A. Hemphill & Co.
GENTLEMEN:—Sent you ten dollars by express on Tuesday, 16th inst, from Opelika, Ala., for the same send WEEKLY CONSTITUTION to Mrs. ——, Columbus, Ga., two years; Mr. ——, Society Hill, Ala., one year; Mr. ——, Society Hill, Ala., one year. Add one year's subscription to that already on your books for Mr. ——. Yours,

FROM WASHINGTON COUNTY.

DAVISBORO, Washington county, Ga., December 19, 1873.
Messrs. W. A. Hemphill & Co.: GENTLEMEN—Enclosed please find $10, for which send me THE CONSTITUTION for one year, and card in Distribution to come off on the 30th instant.
Very respectfully.

FROM AN ADMIRER OF THE CONSTITUTION.

IRWINTON, GA., December 18, 1873.
Editors Constitution:—Here it is at last, ten dollars, subscription to the DAILY CONSTITUTION for twelve months, and for a card in the distribution. I should have renewed my subscription sooner, as I think your paper is one of the best published in the South, but for the reason stated in a former letter. I am pleased with the success of your undertaking. I am, gentlemen, Yours, &c.

FROM SOUTHWEST GEORGIA.

THOMASVILLE, GA., Dec. 18, 1873.
Editors Constitution: GENTLEMEN—Enclosed please find $10, amount of my subscription for the year 1874, to commence from the 6th of January next.
Very truly your friend, M.

BARNESVILLE, GA., December 18, 1873.
W. A. Hemphill & Co., Atlanta, Ga:—Enclosed please find a check for ten dollars for THE DAILY CONSTITUTION for 1874. Please send card, as I want an interest in the great distribution, and oblige,
Very respectfully, yours, ——.

Here is a club of ten dailies from Southwest Georgia:

Messrs W. A. Hemphill & Co:
Please find enclosed Post Office Order for
——, from January 20, '73, to January 28, '75 .. $20
——, ... 10
——, December 16, '73, to December 16, '74 10
$40

Please send to me a card for each in your Distribution (all to get the Constitution building) by return mail. Yours truly, ——.

FROM NEWNAN—ALL RIGHT.

NEWNAN, GA., December 20, 1873.
Messrs. W. A. Hemphill & Co:
DEAR SIRS: Enclosed find eight ($8) dollars, for which you will send four (4) receipts for THE WEEKLY CONSTITUTION for one year, also a ticket that will draw the largest amount of gold. You promised me if I would send you four subscribers you would let my subscription go in the club, which you will find on your books, December 11th,
Yours, etc.,

SOUTHERN GEORGIA STILL COMING UP.

ALBANY, GA., December 18, 1873
W. A. Hemphill & Co:
GENTLEMEN—I enclose to your address ten dollars to be applied to the pay of THE CONSTITUTION for the ensuing year under your gift arrangement (being one of your daily subscribers), and also send you one dollar to pay for the head notes of the decisions of the present term of the Supreme Court.
Yours truly,

FROM FORSYTH COUNTY—TWO DAILIES.

CUMMING, Forsyth County, Ga.
Messrs. W. A. Hemphill & Co; GENTS—I this day inclose to you $20 for two daily CONSTITUTIONS with gift cards.

You will enclose the cards to me. Send one paper to ——, with ticket No. 1,874, or as near that number as you have. Send one paper to ——, with ticket No. 7, or as near that number as you have.
Respectfully.

P. S.—An extension of time would, in my opinion, increase your subscribers—many say to as late a date as you can allow or until all are taken.
Respectfully.

We are sorry to say to our friend that it is impossible to extend the time. Our Commissioners have fixed the day, and we have said the Distribution *must come off*. So there will be no postponement.

These are but specimen letters. It will be observed that the Dailies are rapidly coming in, and coming, too, from Alabama, Mississippi, and various Southern States besides Georgia. Only *seven* days now remain. We beseech our subscribers to mail their orders *forthwith*.

A Pleasant Reunion.—Last evening the employees of Longley & Robinson gave those enterprising gentlemen a supper at Tim C. Murphy's restaurant. The prime mover in getting up these reunions was Mr. Wash Dyer.

The supper was served up by Tim Murphy in his inimitable style. It was a splendid repast, nothing being omitted that could give zest to the appetite or satisfy the palate of the most epicurean.

Mr. James Gillum sang a love song, detailing a courtship under an umbrella, in a capital style, which brought down the house in roars of applause.

Mr. J. A. Johnson, we didn't say that he was "bare footed on the top of his head," W. A. Jernigan, Mr. Noise, Mr. McBride, Mr. Larrabee, and Mr. Lively, the foreman, in response to calls, made appropriate and telling speeches. It was a pleasant social reunion.

A song and sentiment and toasts were interchanged until a late hour.

A general re-union of all the mechanics of Atlanta was suggested and met with general approval. We think it a good suggestion and hope that it will be carried into effect at an early day. We wish Messrs. Longley & Robinson and their employees many happy returns of these re-unions.

Senatorial Transportation Committee.

The committees met at the Hall of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday. Hon David Mayer presided. Messrs. John Stephens, Alderman John M Boring and General A J. McBride were appointed a committee to wait upon the Governor. They make the following announcement:

The members of the joint committee from the City Council and the Board of Trade who were appointed to make arrangements with a view to furnish statistics and information to the Senate Committee are requested to meet at Governor Smith's office this (Tuesday) afternoon, at 4 o'clock *precisely*.

Senator Windom and his committee will certainly be here on next Wednesday, and in view of this fact every member of the committee is requested to meet at the time and place above named, as business of importance will be under consideration.

JOHN STEPHENS,
J. M. BORING,
Atlanta, December 23, 1873. A. J. McBRIDE.

Personal.—Bishop Paine passed through here last night en route for his home in Aberdeen, Miss.

The champion milkist has arrived at Stone Mountain, and his maiden name is W. F Dougherty. He is a great advocate of meadows.

The following are among the arrivals at the Kimball House yesterday: Colonel O P Daniel, Greensboro; M. L. Thomas Newnan; Mrs. S. E. Carter, Athens; W. H. Judah, Miss Fannie Judah, Florida.

Among those registered at the National last night were, T B King, Griffin; Rev. E W Speer J S Thomas, Athens; M L Skelton, Thomaston; R M Cheney, Senoia; J P Hutchinson, W B Shepherd, Covington; L D Carlton, Union Point; W H Crawford, Madison; Hon. Hugh Buchanan, Newnan.

Atlanta Select School for Girls.—We invite attention to the advertisement of the Atlanta Select School for girls, of which Professor J. H. Logan is Principal. The third session of this school will open on the 12th of January next, at No. 153 Whitehall street, near Trinity church. It may now be regarded as one of our fixed institutions. Prof. Logan bears a high reputation as an instructor of youth.

THE COURTS.

Fulton Superior Court—The Blount Jury Still Hung Up—A. L. Harris on Trial—Justice Butt Commits a Cotton Thief.

Fulton Superior Court.

Fulton Superior Court met at the usual hour yesterday morning, Judge John L. Hopkins presiding.

Laura Davis was found not guilty of the charge of Perjury preferred against her.

In the case of Harry Lewis, convicted of gaming, the sentence of six months on the chain gang was suspended until the 27th inst., and if in the meantime the fine of $250 is paid, he will be discharged from custody.

The motion for a new trial in the case of Jesse Jones, Administrator, vs C. T. Cox. was overruled.

Jethro W. Manning was appointed guardian *ad litem*, for each and all of the minor defendants in the case of C. M. Payne et al. vs. L. M. Payne et al.

The case of J. E. Brown vs. the Atlanta and West Point Railroad was marked settled by the parties.

The case of the State vs. A. L. Harris, felony, was taken up for trial. The following jury was empanelled: W H Weems, E ... beck, J Smith, W H Roach, C C Archer, A Hilton, W Gray, T A Morris, E Fechter, W T Forsythe, G G Cook, N Lyon. There is quite an array of legal talent on both sides. The charge grows out of the State Road muddle under Bullock's administration, and the case will likely occupy a day or two.

The jury in the Bode case are still out.

Justices' Court.

Justice Butts yesterday committed Dan Johnson (cold) to jail for stealing cotton from Turner's warehouse on the 13th inst. His step-son, who was connected with him in the manipulation of the cotton, was arrested and jailed on the 13th.

Station House Report.

Only five city arrests last night—all "Benzine Belligerent" cases.

THE ATLANTA GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL

Interesting Exercises—The Browning Society—Speeches by Governor Brown, Dr. Wills, David Mayer, M. C. Blanchard, Ald. Langston and Others.

Yesterday, a number of our citizens, with most of the Board of Education, visited the Girls' High School. The several classes were examined first in their regular studies by their respective teachers; then followed the reading of compositions by several of the pupils, when the visitors were given an opportunity to examine the papers made up from written exercises in answer to questions propounded by Superintendent Mallon on that portion of their studies passed over during the last week. The time allotted to each class to write out these answers was from one to three hours. And as strange as it may appear we did not see a blot on a single one of these, so to speak, compositions. On the contrary they were all methodically and neatly gotten up, and a majority of them clearly and correctly expressed, and not half as many words spelt wrong as we judge would have been noticed in as many articles of the same length by grown persons. Several of these were written in French and Latin, while natural philosophy, chemistry, algebra, physical geography, &c., each received more than a passing glance.

After all had satisfied their curiosity in examination of these marvelously *good* papers, speeches were made by Governor Brown. Hon. David Mayer and M. C. Blanchard, of the Board of Education, Rev David Wills, Ald. J. N Langston and others. All concurred in the opinion that this branch of our public school system was a success, and should be fostered.

Alderman J. N. Langston candidly admitted that he came to the High School with much reluctance, as he had entertained an opinion that the grammar schools was as far as we should go, but since witnessing the exercises and workings of the system he was convinced that it was the cap-stone to our peerless public school system, and he would leave with greater reluctance than he came with. He regretted that he had ever opposed the high schools, and from hence forth he would be found giving them his earnest support. If those who opposed them would only attend their exercises, they would be satisfied to give up their opposition.

The exercises of the "Browning Society" were, as usual, exceedingly interesting. The fair President presides with a grace and dignity that would honor the White House itself. The papers and readings by the members of the Society show careful mental training and culture. The "Browning Society" is now one of our fixed institutions, and we hope at an early day to see it have one of the best library's in the South.

The closing exercises of the Boy's High School takes place to day at their hall, corner Whitehall and Hunter streets. Everybody is invited and we urge all to attend. Don't fail to examine their papers. You will be well repaid for your trouble, and we venture the assertion that you will leave the school as strong a friend of the High Schools as Alderman Langston, who is recognized as one of our most vigilant and intelligent city Fathers.

Wilson's Herald of Health and Farm and Household Help, for December, is full of useful and interesting information, and should be in every family. Among the articles are: Small two or more persons sleep together, Impure blood, remedy for colds. Warm feet in sickness, Quinine for children, Treatment for sick children, etc., by the Editor.

The Farm and Household Department contains choice articles on: Smut in wheat, Thin seeding, Liquid glue, Top dressing grass lands, Castor oil for boots, Prepare for winter, Feeding oats to colts. Training a heifer, Dressing black hogs. Cure for Sweeney, Doctoring sick fowls, etc, Pear trees, Fruit trees—hints on transplanting, etc.

The Herald of Health, Farm and Household Help fills a want long felt in journalism, and is especially and peculiarly adapted to the family. It contains the cream of literature in the departments of agriculture, domestic economy, etc., while it is the only popular scientific health periodical south of New York. Terms $2 per annum. Address SOUTHERN PUBLISHING Co.

Reception.—The friends assembled on Wednesday evening, at the hospitable mansion of Col Harris to meet Henry Harris, Jr., and his charming bride, spent a most pleasant and delightful evening. His warmest friends, captivated with the ease, grace and dignity of his fair lady, unanimously voted Hal's matrimonial venture a decided success. One of our bachelor friends in the height of his admiration desired to know if Atlanta's belles were generally as lovely and accomplished as Mrs. Harris. From what we witnessed the same evening we should not be surprised to hear that some of our Greenville friends were visiting Covington on business at an early day.—*Greenville Vindicator.*

Bro. Revill, tell your bachelor friends to come up and join the "Panic" or some of the other social clubs.

On Hand.—We learn that all the star performers engaged for the Wootten & Andrews great Southern show are now in Atlanta, and everything is in readiness for the promised carnival of the 24th and 25th instant. Its gilded dens of wild animals, with banners flying, led by the gorgeous chariot, with its twenty skilled musicians, drawn by elegantly caparisoned blood horses, together with the trick elephant, camels and bison from the prairie all in line of procession, will be a feature of exciting interest.

Great pains have been taken to combine in its gymnastic department an array of arenic marvels, muscular genius, grace and wit. Its performing animals we hear exhibit a great degree of intelligence, while its congress of beasts and aviary of birds are truly interesting.

Mrs. Eckford's Music Class.—Owing to the inclemency of the weather last night, and the indisposition of several members of Mrs. Belle Eckford's music class, the proposed soiree did not take place, but a rehearsal was given instead. A fair audience was assembled at DeGive's to witness the rehearsal. The regular programme was not adhered to, but several pieces were played and sung. Mr and Mrs. J. R. Scott gave several of their inimitable readings. The performance will come off at DeGive's next Tuesday night. Tickets sent out for last night will be good next Tuesday night.

The Georgia Zouaves.—This company elected non-commissioned officers last night, with the following result:

First Sergeant—J. C. Maher. Sergeants—J L McIntosh, P. Sheridan, A. W. Burgdorf, Frank Sheran. Color Sergeant George A. Wallace.

Quartermaster Sergeant—Michael J. Emil.

Corporals—Alfred P. Cassin, J .T. Morgan, Edgar C Shivers, Levi Summers.

Secretary and Treasurer—L. H. Alexander.

Rip Van Winkle.—The inimitable Joe Jefferson will give only one performance at DeGive's this year—to-morrow night—in his peerless rendition of Rip Van Winkle. The sale of reserved seats will begin this morning at nine o'clock at Philips & Crew's. There was quite a demand for seats yesterday, although none could be had.

Atlanta Medical and Surgical Journal.—The December number of the above periodical is on our table. It is handsomely printed by W. R. Barrow, printer. Its table of contents is varied and interesting. Dr. Robert Battey, editor, Drs. W. A. Love and V. H. Taliaferro, associates. Terms $3 per annum.

Carnival Palace.

All His Majesty's loyal subjects are requested to meet at the Chamber ... at ... o'clock, to-night ... vigilance to join the ... present. Fail not, under penalty of royal displeasure.

Hira, Chamberlin.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the East Point Jug Factory Company takes place to-day. Each stockholder will be presented with a Christmas jug, after Colonel J. D. Robinson, superintendent, reads his report.

The St. Louis New E a suggests that as the name of clergymen officiating in marriages are given, that with equal propriety, in obituary notices, the name of the attending physician should be given.

Local and Business Notices.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

Don't wait for Santa Claus to bring you a Sewing Machine. All sensible wives and maidens will send their husbands and papas to 25 Marietta street to procure the Newly Improved Wheeler & Wilson Machine, light to run and noiseless; fit for heavy manufacturing as well as all family sewing. A more acceptable Christmas or New Year's Gift could not be imagined than this family blessing. dec23-dtf

NOTICE.

This is to notify the citizens of Atlanta and vicinity, that Dr. F. F. Taber is no longer an authorized agent for the sale of Dr. S. B. Collins' Painless Opium and Liquor Antidotes. Hereafter all orders must be addressed to the proprietor and sole manufacturer. DR. S. B. COLLINS,
dec23—d1t LaPorte, Indiana.

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES AT FRANK'S DECATUR STREET.

JUST RECEIVED.

1,000 yards colored silks worth $2, at $1.
2,000 yards black silk worth $2 50, at $1 50.
1,000 yards black silk worth $3 50, at $2.
50 pieces black alpaca at prices never before offered in this city.
100 pieces dress goods at 20 to 25 cents, worth twice the money.
20 dozen French corsets at 60 cents, worth one dollar.
15 dozen American corsets at 40 cents, worth 75 cents.
100 dozen best kid gloves at 50 cents, worth $1.
A full line of Fancy and Millinery goods at greatly reduced prices.
200 sets of Furs at half value to be opened to-morrow.
500 pieces Prints, choice patterns, at
dec21—sun-tues-fri FRANK'S.

THIS "THE THIRD WEEK OF THE REVOLUTION IN PRICES" AT MRS. FRANK'S,

as advertised in this column. Her store has been crowded with customers the last week. Those cheap silks and alpacas were in great demand.
dec21—sun-tues-fri

BARGAINS! BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

The Steinheimer Bros. at the New York Store, will offer, during this week, special inducements to purchasers in a full and complete line of Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes and Fancy Woolen Goods, Blankets, Cassimeres, Jeans and Kid Gloves.
dec21—sun-tues-wed

SPANGLED TARLETAN,

Swan's Down, Ermine, Gold and Silver Fringes, Tassels, Stars and Braid Sash Ribbons, Rufflings, Baby Cloaks and Caps, to be opened to-morrow at
dec21—sun-tues-fri MRS. FRANK'S.

500 beautiful Scarfs at 30 and 50 cents each, handsome Card Cases, Ivory Pocket Books, elegant Fans and many other beautiful goods for the Holidays. Big stock Black Silks and other Dress Goods at half their value. LOWE, DOUGLASS & DALLAS.
dec21—d3t

SPECIAL NOTICE TO PURCHASERS IN DRY GOODS.

The New York Store will sell a new line of Dress Goods at remarkable low prices for the Holidays.
dec21—dsun-tues-wed

BLANKETS can be bought cheaper at the New York Store than any other house in the city. dec21—sun-tues-wed

STEINHEIMER BROS. NEW YORK STORE will offer a new and complete line of Silk Jap Robes in every style and color, at astonishing low prices.
dec21—sun-tues-wed

TO HUSBANDS AND WIVES!

If you want to buy a handsome Present for your dear one, go to the New York Store, 48 Whitehall street.
dec21—sun-tues-wed

Splendid Steel Engravings.—Beautiful steel engravings of General Stonewall Jackson and General R. E. Lee may be had at THE CONSTITUTION office at $5 per copy.

They were published under the auspices of the Virginia Lee Memorial Association.
dec11-dtf.

NEW DRESS GOODS,

Such as Irish Poplins, Black and Colored Alpacas, Black Silks, Empress Cloths, and all other Fashionable Dress Goods, Shawls, Boulevard Skirts, can be found at late PANIC PRICES at the New York Store 48 Whitehall street.
dec21—sun-tues—wed

ONLY TWO WEEKS MORE TO NEW YEAR
ONLY TWO WEEKS MORE TO NEW YEAR.

OUR IMMENSE STOCK OF CLOTHING
OUR IMMENSE STOCK OF CLOTHING
MUST BE SOLD.
MUST BE SOLD.

We are offering the greatest inducements in Fine Clothing ever offered in the city. Give us a call.
M. & J. HIRSCH,
dec20—dtf Clothiers and Tailors.

IF you want a wedding suit made to order go to M. & J. HIRSCH,
dec20—dtf Fashionable Tailors.

TWENTY-SIX pieces Black Silk.
300 pieces Dress Goods.
500 fine and common Shawls.
At half their value for Christmas presents. Our Black Silks are fifty per cent. under the market.
LOWE, DOUGLASS & DALLAS.
dec18—dthur,sun&tues

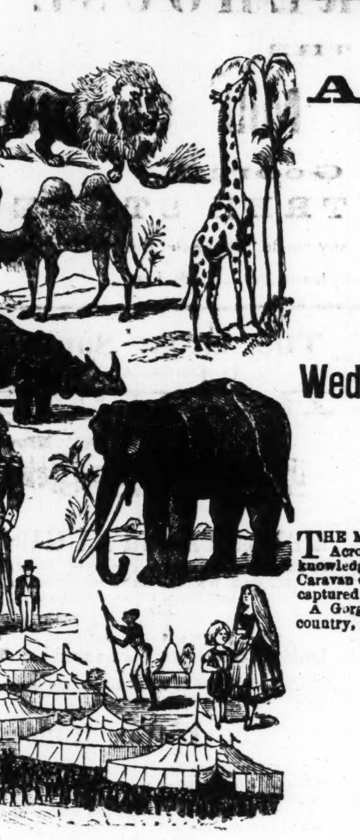
LEFT in the Ladies' Dressing Room at the Governor's Guards Ball, last night, a large Seal Ring. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at this office.
dec14—dtf

KNOX'S Millinery and Variety Store still remains the favorite with the ladies, as they generally have exactly what they want and at very moderate prices. Knox has marked down his goods to prices which suit these times of scarcity of money. You will find a good assortment of the Fall shades of Sewing Silks. Also, all colors of Zephyr Worsteds, and he is constantly adding to his stock. Be sure and call at 30 Whitehall street.
nov2—dtf

CHAPPED HANDS, face, rough skin, pimples, ringworm, salt-rheum and other cutaneous affections cured, and the skin made soft and smooth, by using the Juniper Tar Soap, made by Caswell, Hazard & Co., New York. Be certain to get the Juniper Tar Soap, as there are many imitations made with common tar which are worthless.
dec 10-d4w.

THE GREAT SOUTHERN MENAGERIE & CALISTHENIC EXPOSITION!

WOOTTEN & ANDREWS.



Atlanta, Georgia,

TWO DAYS ONLY!

Wednesday and Thursday, December 24 and 25, 1873.

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dec16-d&w2t O. Box 5, Atlanta, Ga.

Notice in Bankruptcy.

THIS is to give notice that on the 15th day of December, A. D. 1873, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of E. Lowry, of Clarksville, county of Habersham and State of Georgia, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon her own petition, and that the payment of any Debts, and delivery of any Property belonging to such Bankrupt, to her or for her use, and the transfer of any Property by her are forbidden by law; that a Meeting of the Creditors of the said Bankrupt to prove their Debts, and to choose one or more Assignees of her Estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at Atlanta, Ga., before Lawson Eck, Esquire, Register, on the 3d day January, A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

H. SMYTH,
United States Marshal, as Messenger.
dec21-d2t

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JUST Received, for the Christmas Holidays, 800 gallons Sweet Apple Cider.

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Nuts, oranges, apples, etc. I sell as cheap as can be found in the city. Dont fail to give me a call for you Christmas Candies. Do not forget the place—No. 8 Whitehall street.
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100 pieces Bagging.
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100,000 pounds Wheat Bran.
150 bales Timothy Hay
400 barrels Flour, very best brands, varying in price from $7 to $10 50 per barrel.
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CONYERS FEMALE COLLEGE,

until Saturday, the 27th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M., when the Board of Trustees will proceed by election to fill those places.

Applicants are requested to appear in person at the time appointed and present their credentials.

J. P. BOSSER,
Secretary of the Board of Trustees.
Conyers, Ga., December 12th, 1873.
dec 16-30t

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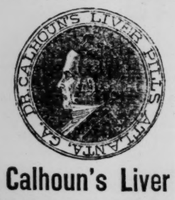

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In the District Court of the United States—Northern District of Georgia—In the matter of Wm. Bennett, a Bankrupt—In Bankruptcy.

This is to give notice, once a week for three weeks, that I have been appointed Assignee of Wm. Bennett, in the county of Lincoln, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court for said district.

HENRY J. LANG,
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In the District Court of the United States—Northern District of Georgia—In the matter of Albert H. Collister, bankrupt—In Bankruptcy.

This is to give notice, once a week for three weeks, that I have been appointed Assignee of the estate of said Albert H. Collister, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said District.

John N. Wikle, Assignee.
nov25-dlaw1w Cartersville, Ga.

Martin Remnow, vs. Edmond Wright } Motion to establish Lost Deed.

It appearing to the Court by the return of the Sheriff of Dade County that the defendant in the motion is not to be found in said county, and it further appearing that said defendant is beyond the State of Georgia—

It is therefore ordered by the Court that service of this motion be perfected by publication in terms of the law, September Term, 1873.

C. D. McCUTCHIN, J. S. C. C.

A true extract from the Minutes of Court, November 15, 1873.

J. G. PACE, Clerk.
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TICKETS 50 CENTS,
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He has a faculty of the best teachers, Male and Female, to be found in the State.

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Call and examine the stock and get a Price List.
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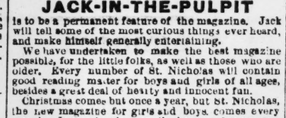

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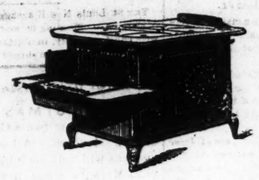

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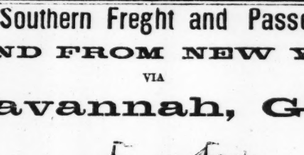

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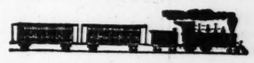

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